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Sold by **L. TAGGART** has no superior.

Fourteen years ago I painted my house with these paints and am now, for the first time since, repainting it. H. L. Smith, the painter, says he never knew of a house in better condition for painting after having stood so long.

A gentleman, whose name I will not mention, living in our town, painted his house thirteen years ago, with these paints and he has engaged some paints to repaint, saying that he would have no other.

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Also paper your house with the elegant wall paper at Taggart's and be doubly happy.

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Permanent Certificates.

The committee to examine applicants for permanent certificates will meet for that purpose in the high school room, Emporium, May 15, at 8:30 a. m., at which time and place applicants will please present themselves, bringing with them their professional certificates and blanks properly filled and signed by the school boards of the districts in which they have taught. The necessary materials will be furnished by the committee.

E. S. LING, Chairman.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)

Washington, May 11, 1903.

Editor Press:—

The most important and sensational development in the current Postoffice Investigation is the removal, pending the completion of the investigation, of General Superintendent of free delivery Machen which step was taken by the Postmaster General at the request of Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow who, in communication to Postmaster General Payne, intimates that the completion of the investigation will be materially facilitated by Mr. Machen's absence. Machen has accordingly been granted indefinite leave of absense pending the completion of the investigation but it is a matter of grave doubt as to whether he will ever again occupy his desk in the Postoffice Department. In addition to recovering Machen, the Postmaster General has transferred the entire division of free delivery to the Bureau presided over by Mr. Bristow and has assigned as acting chief Mr. M. S. Fosnes, the Postoffice Inspector who made so enviable a record in clearing up the tangle into which Rathbone got the Cuban postal service. Fosnes is regarded as one of the most capable detectives in the Postoffice Department and it is believed that hereafter the investigation will go on uninterruptedly and that the entire scandal which hangs about the free delivery division will be probed to the bottom. In view of the strong political backing of Machen, his removal is regarded as an indication that the Postoffice scandals are to be thoroughly sifted regardless of political consideration.

Widely calculated reports concerning the conduct of Russia in Manchuria, that province of China which adjoins the Russian frontier, have given rise to the wildest speculation and in some instances grave apprehension. Subsequent advices from more reliable sources, however discredit the reports first sent out and it is even doubtful if Russia has reoccupied Nim Chwang as was first reported. While accurate information regarding the situation in this somewhat remote part of the globe is unattainable it is the opinion of the State Department that gross exaggerations have gained credence and it is suspected that there is an ulterior motive in the attempt to secure from this country co-operation in a joint protost to be made to Russia by Great Britain and Japan. At all events, no move will be made by this Government until authentic information has been received and even if the alleged intention of Russia should receive confirmation it is doubtful if the United States would feel called upon to protest. Regardless of the sensational cablegrams which are likely to appeor in the newspapers from now on, the people of this country have every assurance that the United States will not be made the cat's paw of the subjects of nations interested in commercial exploitation.

The State Department has just made public for the first time its version of the kidnapping of Miss Allen Stone by Bulgarians. Ac. cording to the State Department officials a grave error wss made by the payment of the ransom demanded, this goverment having received the most positive assurance that Mifs Stone and her companion were safe from all actual violence, and it is claimed that a precedent has been set which will constitute a menace to all other foreigners in that section of the country. The report states that despite the protests and better judgment of the Department the entreaties of the missionaries, who contribnted no part of the $66,000 ransom, were permitted to prevail."

Open Letter Relative to Park.

Emporium, Pa., May 11th, 1903.

Messrs. WM. MCDONALD, MICHAEL MURPHY, ELEX MCDOUGAL. et. al, representing subscribers to the Park Fund:

WHEREAS, It was decided at the public meeting last week that the citizens could not afford at the present time to police the public park in sufficent manner to preserve good order, and protect timid persons in the peaceful enjoyment of its privileges, and since it would be equally unjust to expect me to bear all the expense of maintaining order, it is no more than right that I should give you a written statement as to how your money would be expended for the improvement of my private property, before you collect any of the subscriptions now in hand.

First:—It is my intention to temporarily open the Park to the public as fully as the spirit and action of their conduct will permit; under such rules and regulations as are maintained in the public parks of other cities.

Second:—Should your Committiee collect and turn over to me the sum of $750.00 I will agree to spend an equal or larger amount and erect a suitable platform on the grounds and spend my surplus there may be in piping water from the spring and building a road in to the park. All of such expenditure to be be made under the approval and and with the co-operation of your committee, reserving to myself the right to close the park at any time and restrict all public use of same should drunkenness and roudyism get beyond our reasonable control.

Trustingthere will be no misunderstanding by the public of your good intentions, as well as my own in the matter.

Yours truly,

JOSIAH HOWARD.

Crack Ball Player.

P. J. Morrissey, formerly of Emporium, who has been engaged in business in Sidnaw, Wis., writes us to change the address of his paper to Dollar Bay, Mich., he having disposed of his business to return to the diamond. Mr. Morrisey, who is one of the best shortstop men in the northwest, is an enthusiastic player. The followiug from the Daily Gazette, says: "P. J. Morrisey the veteran short stop and one of the best all around baseball players in upper peninsula, expects to leave here next week for Dollar Bay, where he will play with the team at that place. The members of the Sidnaw club will be sorry to see him leave town, but all will wish him success."

The Tale of a Rooster.

Howard & Co.'s clerks have been very much annoyed for some time by a bigamous old rooster, leading his large family through their warehouses, and in other ways making a nuisance of himself. The boys finally became exasperated and decided to "fix that rooster." They captured him, and when they let him go, he was wearing a pair of duck trousers, a standup collar and a red tie. He was a fancy dressed rooster all right. Jimmie used to be an artist at dressing dolls and knew just how to do the job.

A Grateful Cow.

One of our loveliest girls, a young lady of the west end, has a great love for animals. She was recently pulling grass and feeding it to the cow through a window in the barn, the cow to show her gratitude, reached out with her big soft tongue and kissed her across the face. The young lady tried to keep it dark, but the cow told, and now she does not like "that nasty old cow" any better than she does that little yellow dog that would go to school.

Almost One Hundred.

Joseph Housler, of Lock Haven, formerly a resident of this county, has been visiting his relatives in this section for several days. Mr. Housler celebrated his 90th anniversary on the 8th day of April, being born April 8, 1813. Although well advanced in years he continues to transact business and is as actice as he was many years ago.

Goes to Cameron.

Frank Miller who has been located at Mina for the past fifteen years, and for the past nine years section boss for the Lackawanna Company, has accepted a similnr position with E. V. Dunlevie at Cameron. Mr. Miller is a first-class railroad man who has many friends.—Coudersport Enterprise.

An exchange in Southwestern Kansas is responsible for the following: An Indian owed one of our merchants and the other day he came to pay and wanted a receipt. In vain the merchant told him a receipt was unnecessary. "Me must have to show me owe white man nothing," said the Indian, "Me go to Heaven, the Lord ask Injun, he pay debts, Injun say yes Lord ask Injun where is receipt. What Injun do? Can't go all over hell to look for you." He got the receipt.

High School Commencement.

The Commencement exercises of the Emporium High School at opera house, last Wednesday evening attracted a very large audience, composed of the relatives, friends and auditors of the graduates—three ladies and three gentlemen—Misses Mazie Gallagher, Grace L. Metzger, Olive Maloy; Messrs. Fred B. Lloyd, Clyde McCaslin and Frank E. Felt. The music by the Ridgway orchestra added greatly to the pleasure of the occasion.

The following short synopsis of the addresses and essays we publish:

The theme of Miss Gallagher's salutatory was "Making a Living and Making a Life." First the necessity for each ones making for himself an honest living was dwelt upon. Too many are desirous of gaining a livelihood by some easy short cut, forgetting that there "are only two ways of getting money; if you have not earned it, you have stolen it." To counteract this evil tendency, stress must be laid upon the honorableness of making a living. But on the other hand many are too much absorbed in making a livlng, and hence forget that there is anything nobler or better to strive after. Life is to great to define, too great to make. We can only open our souls to its influence. If we do this we are lifted above the sordid thing of life, and give place in our hearts to noble, generous, loving impulses. The central thought, then, of this admirable essay was that, while we should all see to it that we earn an honest living, we should not become so absorbed in it that we forget the higher purposes of our being. Miss Gallagher's enunciation was deliberate and distinct and her manner quite composed.

Frank E. Felt delivered an excellent oration on "The Wonders of the XIXth Century." He called attention to the m arvelous progress in material things; in invention, in modes of travel and transportion; to the development of electricity, and scientific knowledges, to the wonders of manufacture, enriching his thought with numerous illustrations. The development of the United States was cited as the greatest wonder of the century.

Miss Maloy recited in a very pleasing way a selection from Mrs. Wiggs, entitled "Annexation of Cuby" which turns out to be a poor fit-stricken horse upon which the inimitable Mrs. Wiggs conferred the geographical name of "Cuby."

Miss Metzger's subject was an "Interpretation of Tennyson's Princess" which was finely developed. The story of the poem was told in a pleasant manner. Tennyson's purpose in writing the poem was to give his idea of the true place of woman in the world. The efforts of the Princess Ida to establish a school for the higher education of woman and devote her life to such work insteaad of marrying the Prince to whom she had been betrothed from childhood, is the central thought of the poem. In the end, after all her plans had miscarried, she yielded to the solicitations of the Prince, impelled by her woman's uature, but still insisted upon the correctness of her theory that woman is man's intellectual equal, if given equal opportunity. Many beautiful quotations were given, in one of which Tennyson characterizes his motive and thereby gives us an insight into his own character.

Clyde McCaslin delivered the prophecy as to the future of the class. He read a spicy essay in which teachers and class were hit, and predicted great things for the class. According to his prophetic vision the members of the class will bring about the millennium in about a dozen years, settling all vexatious problems Emporium is to profit by being made an industrial and governmental center.

Fred B. Lloyd, by virtue of his rank, deilvered the valedictory. In well chosen language he bade farewell to faculty, directors, undergraduates and classmates.

The Class Address by Prof. Francis H. Green, Principal of West Chester Normal, was the best ever listened to by our people and all regretted when he left the platform. It was a scholarly, whitty and highly entertaining address, received by frequent applause. We hope the Prof. will again visit us, when he does not have to speak against time.

Taken as a whole the faculty of the Emporium High School may well be proud of 1903 work.

Ice Cream Sale.

An ice cream sale under the auspices of the Epworth League of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, will be held on the lawn of the Metzger home, East Alleghany avenue, next Tuesday evening. Proceeds for Pipe Organ Fund. Public patronage kindly invited.

Fiends Planned to Blow Ocean Liner up at Sea.

A special dispatch to the PRESS, last Saturday evening conveyed the intelligence, below stated, the authorities being anxious to procure information as to the names of parties to whom The Climax Powder Company sold dynamite.

NEW YORK, May 11.—An attempt was made to blow up the Cunard line steamship, with more than 400 passengers and a crew of 300 aboard.

Just before the big ocean liner sailed an infernal machine containing a hundred pounds of dynamite was found on the dock at the foot of the first cabin gangway ready to be taken aboard the ship.

Fuses were already burning, and it is estimated by the police that the spark would have touched the dynumite wihtin five minutes.

A letter written in lead pencil and sent to police headquarters gave warning of the plot to blow up the Umbria. This letter was headed "A Warning From the Mafia," and in it a man whose name is withheld by the police stated that there was a Mafia grievance against the English steamship lines. He described the box and said that the clockwork which he held was set to explode the dynamite thirty-six hours after the time of the delivery of the box at the pier.

Detectives were sent on the run to the pier, and they notified Captain Watson, the superintendent of the Cunard dock, and Mr. Floyd. the agent of the line.

When Captain Thomas Dutton of the Umbria was informed of the plot to blow up the vesssel he declined to sail until the box was found. From the description furnished by the writer of the letter the detectives had little difficulty in finding the box.

It was made of plain pine boards and was 40 by 20 inches. The cover was on hinges and was locked with a padlock. There were absolutely no marks on the box.

The detectives heard the clicking of the clockwork inside, and they forced open the bottom of the box. They were astonished to find in it fully a hundred pounds of dynamite.

The detectives extinguished the fuses. Ropes were immediately run around the box, and it was thown overboard.

It was submergod for at least an hour before the arrival of the men from the bureau of combustibles.

Then it was carefully lifted into a patrol wagon of the Charles street station and driven to the station.

There the contents of the box were taken out and removed to the bureau of combustibles.

In the meantime the Umbria had sailed with probably none of her passengers aware of the attempt that had been made to bring disaster to the ship.

The one hundred dynamite sticks that the box contained were labeled "Climax Powder Company."

A secret service agent arrived in Emporium Sunday in search of information. Of course the Climax people are unable to tell how this powder fell into the hands of the dynamiters. Forty detectives are now at work on the case.

A Pastor for Cameron Circuit.

The Rev. R. J, Knox has been placed in charge at the Cameron Circuit of the Methodist Episcopal Church for the coming year. He is a young married man; scholarly and of pleasing appearance. Mr. Knox will faithfully devote his attention to the interests committed to his charge. We bespeak for him a hearty welcome from his people and a year of successful work.

Hard Luck.

Rural mail carrier B. L. Spence, met with a serious accident. Last Saturday while coming down the hill near Norragon's some part of the harnness on his horse gave away, which caused the animal to turn down a steep embankment, upsetting the rig. The horse in addition to breaking up the carriage, kicked Mr. Spence on right leg, laying him up for a few days. Spence has had only bad luck since he took the position, having lost two horses. Now comes more bad luck. Hope he will soon be on his pins again, serving his patrons in his usual prompt manner.

Large School.

Prof. W. J. Leavit has opened a summer school in Plank Road building with over seventy pupils enrolled and more expected. The number is largely beyond his expectations and requires an assistant for primary work for which position he has secured Miss Katie Welsh of this place.

WEATHER REPORT.

(Forecast by T. B. Lloyd.)

FRIDAY, Fair.
SATURDAY, Showers.
SUNDAY, Probably showers.

Republican County Convention.

The Republicans of Cameron County will meet in Convention at the Court House, in Emporium, on Tuesday, May 19th, 1903, at 1:30 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of electing one person for Delegate to the Republican State Convention and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said Convention.

A. C. BLUM, Chairman.

ATTEST:—
J. P. MCNARNEY, Sec'y.

Republican Primary Election.

The Republican Primary Elections for Cameron county will be held on

SATURDAY, MAY 16th, 1903.

Emporium Borough—West Ward, at City Hall, at 7:00 to 9:00 p. m.—5 delegates; Middle Ward, at Council Room, at 7:00 to 9:00 p. m.—4 delegates; East Ward, at Hose House, at 7:00 to 9:00 p. m.—3 delegates.

Shippen Township, at Court House, at 2:00 to 4:00 p. m.—7 delegates.

Portage Township, at Sizerville Bath House, at 6:00 to 8:00 p. m.—1 delegate.

Lumber township, at McConnell's Store, Cameron, from 6:00 to 8:00, p. m.—3 delegates.

Gibson Township, at Curtin House, Driftwood at 2:30 to 4:30 p. m —3 delegates.

Driftwood Borough, at Curtin House, at 7:00 to 9:00 p. m.—3 delegates.

Grove Township, at Shaffer's Hotel, from 6:00 to 8:00 p. m.—5 delegates.

Saturday, May 9th is the last day for filing nominations for delegates to County Convention.

Monday, May 11th, at 2:00 o'clock, p. m., the vigilance committees will meet and open and announce the nominations for delegates to County Convention, reducing the number of candidates by lot to twice the number to be elected.

By order of County Committee.

A. C. BLUM, Chairman.

ATTEST:—
J. P. MCNARNEY, Sec'y.

DESTRUCTIVE FOREST FIRES RAGING.

Forest fires are again raging in this county and heavy losses sustained by lumbermen and other citizens—especially heavy being the damage to C B. Howard Company, Wilson Bros. Lumber Company at Huntley, Cameron Lumber Company. Large numbers of men have been fighting fire since Sunday, day and night, and if we do not have rain soon the loss will be still heavier. C. B. Howard Co., suffer the heaviest damage. Last Sunday morning about 11 o'clock the fire struck their operations in Cooks Run, destroying five million feet of logs, one steam log loader and two lumber camps. The fires are still raging.

To the Graduating Class of Emporium High School for 1903.

There are turning points in the life of every individual. You have read as one of these. Don't think because you have graduated from the Emporium high school your education is finished. You have taken only the primary step in the ladder of life. Don't drift but determine to place your name high in some of the many walks of life and as soon as maybe, determine what line of life you will follow and industriously, energetically and persistently follow it. A college course is a help but not a necessity —many high positions in this country are held by men and women who had no aid from college diplomas. A college course is but another step in the ladder. I question whether an absolute free college course is a blessing. The lives of the sons and daughters of our wealthy people, who have received such do not show the best results. No one of you is so poor you may not work your way through college if you will. It may require self-denial, it will require hard work. Education is a life work and should cease only when the Master calls us to cross the line which separates time from eternity. It is the poor girls and boys who either with or without the aid of college diplomas, fill the positions of responsibility and influence in our land.

"Act! Act! in the living present
Heart within and God o'er head
The lives of great men all remind us,
We may make our lives subline
And departing leave behind us,
Foot prints on the sands of time,
Let ug then be up and doing
With a heart for any fate.

JNO. DAY.

Emporium, Pa., May 8, 1903.

Teacher's Examinations.

The Cameron county teachers' examinations for 1903 will be as follows:

Sinnamahoning.....May 26.
Driftwood.....May 27.
Sterling Run.....May 28.
Emporium.....May 29.
Emporium.....June 27,

Teachers examintions in mothods will be based on the reading course.

Examinations will begin at 8:30 a. m. Directors and patrons are requested te be present at the examinations.

MATTIE M. COLLINS,
County Superintendent.

League Anniversary.

The 14th anniversary of the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be observed next Sunday at 7:30 p. m., in the auditorium of the church. An interesting program will be presented.

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Rates by the year, or for six or three months, are low and uniform, and will be furnished on application.

Legal and Official Advertising per square, three times or less, $2; each subsequent insertion 50 cents per square.

Local notices 10 cents per line for one insertion: 5 cents per line for each subsequent consecutive insertion.

Obituary notices over five lines, 10 cents per line. Simple announcements of births, marriages and deaths will be inserted free.

Business cards, five lines or less, $5 per year; over five lines, at the regular rates of advertising.

No local inserted for less than 75 cents per issue.

JOB PRINTING.

The Job department of the PRESS is complete and affords facilities for doing the best class of work. PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO LAW PRINTING.

No paper will be discontinued until arrearages are paid, except at the option of the publisher.

Papers sent out of the county must be paid for in advance.

A twenty-five-story building is to be erected in New York, one hundred feet square and on land worth $100 a square foot, or $1,000,000 for ten thousand square feet. The building, 325 feet high, will cost only $1,400,000, only 40 per cent. more than the land. Offices are expected to rent for $2 a square foot—$800 for a room twenty feet square.

As long ago as 1853 it was attempted by a study of French statistics to prove that marriage is a "healthy estate." In a recent series of articles in a London paper Frederick L. Hoffman makes a similar claim and believes that he has clearly proved that the mortality of single people of both sexes is greater than those who are married, excepting only that of women between the ages of 15 and 44 years.

One of the newly discovered constituents of our atmosphere, the gas krypton, displays, when examined through the spectroscope, a characteristic group of green lines, which are the same as those observed in auroras under similar circumstances. The fact leads Prof. Ramsay, the leading British authority on the gases of the atmosphere, to believe that the auroral color may be due to an accumulation or concentration of krypton near the poles.

One man in Battle Creek, Mich., is spending $3,000 a day in advertising a cooked cereal food which ,eight years ago, this same man was peddling by the bag to the grocers of the immediate neighborhood. He got an idea, clung to it with unswerving tenacity, developed it with indefatigable energy and overcame obstacles by sheer grit—he advertised—and now his idea pours into his coffers, almost automatically, an income of several thousand dollars a day.

Of all the giants that have appeared before the public within the last 30 or 40 years none can be compared with the imposing Russian who has recently been on exhibition in Berlin, Germany. Feodor Machow, of Kustjaky, Russia, is now about 22 years of age. He is 7 feet 9 inches in height and can therefore be classed with the largest giants that have ever lived. He exceeds in height all the known living giants by at least a head, and is in many respects of great scientific interest.

The elevation of Sir Charles White to the rank of field marshal puts Ireland in the position of furnishing three field marshals out of nine to the British army, or four if the duke of Connaught is included. Sir T. Kelly-Kenny, an Irishman, is adjutant-general; Sir Ian Hamilton, a Scotchman, is quartermaster-general; Sir Edward Ward, permanent undersecretary of the war office, is also a north country man, and Lord Kitchener, the Indian commander-in-chief, is of Irish birth.

Savage races are popularly credited with great acuteness of vision, but recent observations by Dr. W. H. Rivers on the primitive tribes of Murray Island show that the superiority is only slight, although on his "native heath" the savage's familiarity with his surroundings gives him an advantage over civilized man. It is to this familiarity with the minutest details of his evironment, rather than to any natural visual acuteness, that Dr. Rivers attributes the superior ability of a savage to recognize distant objects.

The most unique of any of the moonshine stills ever broken up by government agents was one captured in Georgia in September last year. It was so small that the moonshiner carried it about in a valise and had plenty of room for several bottles of mash. All he had to do when he found a customer was to find a secluded spot, set up his still and serve his drinks. It came to grief because he failed to select a thick enough clump of bushes. The operator fell into the hands of revenue agents at the same time the miniature still was captured.

"Princesschen," as the only daughter of Emperor William of Germany is popularly designated, grows apace, and is more than ever the delight of her father, who, it is said, the small princess rules with a rod of iron. It is one of the prettiest sights imaginable to see father and daughter together. The greatest desire of Princesschen for the moment is to ride with her father in the park. She is very indignant that her brothers should have a privilege hitherto denied to herself and her desire may soon be gratified.

FUTILITY OF TRUST ISSUE.

President Roosevelt's Timely Intervention Has Reassured the People of Their Security.

That the merger decision has immensely strengthened President Roosevelt and the republican party for the struggle coming next year is perfectly apparent. The decision is a vindication of the Roosevelt method of dealing with the so-called "trust" problems. It is a triumph for sane and conservative but effective policies. It confuses and discredits the plans of the radicals who would like to set the country aflame with appeals to the same passions that were awakened in 1896, says the Des Moines Register and Leader.

Moreover it is clear that the sober second thought of every class of people approves the decision. In the financial centers, among bankers and investors, in Wall street itself, the predominant sentiment is one of satisfaction and even relief that bounds have been set to the tendency to establish a monarchy in the business world. It is realized that the Northern Securities plan had far-reaching and dangerous possibilities. Even if the consolidation which it effected proved as innocent and as advantageous to the public as its promoters promised it to be, it would be a dangerous power to go unchallenged. The rights of property must be respected, but property that is created by great public grants and franchises must be administered in conformity with approved public policy. The railways of the country are not private property in the sense that the owners may do with them as they please; private capital is invested in them with the express understanding that they are subject to public supervision and the declared policy of the nation is against the tendency to consolidation that was an issue in this case.

The state of Minnesota had distinctly and formally forbidden this consolidation, and an attempt had been made to defeat this mandate by organizing a corporation that would not be subject to the laws of Minnesota. The attempt reveals a higher power, residing in the constitution, and even back of the constitution in the common law, ample for the protection of every public interest. The lesson is a very wholesome one. It is a new admonition that the people are sovereign, and that the most potential organization of capital is subject in the exercise of its powers to their will. It is idle and foolish in this country to attempt to evade or defy public opinion. It is unwise to tempt it to impatience. The conservative judgment of the country realizes this and recognizes that the rights of property are not less secure but more secure because of the suit brought and decision obtained against the Northern Securities company.

Without the practical measures which have been taken by the Roosevelt administration to define and establish public control over aggregations of capital, the country would have gone into another campaign with the public mind agitated, uneasy and liable to panic on this subject. The president realized the peril to the country of that situation. He realized the importance of having the public assured of its own rights and security, and of having a system of supervision and restraint developed under prudent direction. The measures for which he assumed responsibility have virtually eliminated the "trust" issue from partisan politics. The results already achieved have advanced the country so far toward a solution of the problem, and have so completely demonstarted the wisdom and good faith of his policies, that the people will have no desire to change the management to new leadership. The "trust" issue next year will be as futile as the Philippine issue was in 1900.

☞Bryan is to make an effort to revive Bryanism. He is to talk in several eastern and southern states and to pay more particular attention to the enemy's country, otherwise known as New York. As a matter of fact, he is always welcome as a speaker here. Polling place popularity is different.—Brooklyn Eagle.

PLAY BALL!

The Players Are Ready, But the Umpires Insist on Discussing the Last Game.—Minneapolis Journal.

THIRD-TERM TALK ENDED.

Collapse of the Boom That Was Started for Grover Cleveland's Candidacy.

The Cleveland third term talk has suddenly ceased. It ended immediately after the ex-president's appearance at a meeting in favor of Booker Washington's institution. A democrat who will voluntarily seat himself on a platform with a negro has no chance for any favors at the hands of the democratic party. Moreover, a democrat who talks in favor of the thing which that negro advocates can never again be accepted as a fit personage for democrat honors, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Thus the third term boom has collapsed. Not many persons in the United States took that talk seriously. Consequently, not many will be disappointed at the wind-up of the movement for a new nomination for the ex-president. It is doubtful now if Mr. Cleveland could carry South Carolina or Mississippi if he were nominated. His candidacy would be held in those states to mean negro domination, and he would be cut almost as badly as Lincoln was there in 1860. Even as a contribution to the gayety of politics that propaganda to harmonize the democratic party by putting up its principal unharmonizer is dead.

Of course, if there were the slightest chance for the democracy to win under any leadership there would have been no word at all in favor of the third term nomination for Cleveland. It was a sign of despair which everybody could grasp. The democrats who advocated Cleveland's candidacy next years raised the flag of distress, as everybody could see. When the country refused to give a third term to the conqueror of the rebellion it was easy enough to see that that would be refused to any man in the ranks of the democratic party to-day. Possibly a Cleveland man will be put up in 1904, and if so he will be cut by the other section of the party. It makes no difference in the result whether a man is put up for a third term which he cannot get or a new man is nominated for a first term which he has not the faintest chance to receive. The year 1904 is going to be a bad season for the democratic party of the United States.

COMMENT AND OPINION.

☞The democratic style of government in Missouri is a poor argument for a national change in 1904.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

☞Mr. Gorman is not letting his presidential boom get threadbare before the time comes for putting it on dress parade.—Washington Star.

☞Whenever Mr. Bryan emits a philippic against Grover Cleveland he awakens a suspicion that his old presidential bee is stinging him.—Chicago Tribune.

☞The trouble with Mr. Bryan's notion of harmony is that he thinks everything else is a mere accompaniment to a solo by himself.—Indianapolis News (ind.).

☞Senator Martin, of Virginia, who may be the chairman of the democratic national committee, thinks the revision of the tariff should be the sole issue in the next campaign. That appears to suggest an easy way for the republicans to win.—Cleveland Leader.

☞In a word, the United States mint, like about everything else in this country, keeps step with modern progress and often gets a little ahead of it. The mint not only turns out more coin than any similar establishment, but, thanks to the republican party, its dollars are all good ones, worth a hundred cents, not clipped of half their value as would have been the case had the Bryan idea been successful.—Troy Times.

☞The papers which are saying that Uncle Mark Hanna feels downcast over the result in his state are astray as to the situation. Ohio is all right, and Mark is master of the situation, except temporarily in his own city. The fact that Johnson won the mayoralty again shows that fate is putting up a job against him and his party. His recent victory will tempt him to look for higher station than the one he has, and then retribution will hit him hard.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Why He Called Her Peggy.

"I thought your wife's name was Elizabeth?"

"So it is."

"Then why do you call her Peggy?"

"Short for Pegasa."

"What has that to do with it?"

"Why, Pegasa is feminine for Pegasus."

"Well?"

"Well, Pegasus is an immortal steed."

"What of that?"

"'Sh! Not so loud. She's in the next room. You see, an immortal steed is an everlasting nag, and there you are."—Indianapolis Journal.

Feels Younger and Stronger.

Festus, Mo., May 4th.—Mr. January S. Lilly, a highly respected old gentleman, aged 76, and whose home is in Festus, says: "For many years I was failing in health. My kidneys were weak and gave me no end of trouble. I had pains in my back and hips so bad that I could not sit up straight without bracing my back, and could not sit only a few minutes in any one position.

"I had to get up during every night very frequently to relieve myself.

"Our doctor said I had Kidney and Bladder Inflammation. I have suffered for over five years in this way, always worse at night.

"I could get no relief and was getting worse till I used Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"After I had used a few boxes of this remedy I felt stronger and better than I have for years and years. My pains all left me and I can rest and sleep.

"Every old man or woman who feels as I felt should use Dodd's Kidney Pills, and I am sure they will not be disappointed. They brought me out wonderfully."

The Place for It.—"What are you snorting about?" asked the young walrus of the old one, who was perusing a scrap of newspaper. "Here's a doctor who says it's unhealthy to go into the water after a meal. How would we get it if we didn't?"—Philadelphia Press.

Ladies Can Wear Shoes

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Some are born great, some achieve greatness, and some have greatness thrust upon them; and they nearly all agree in telling the rest of us that it isn't what it's cracked up to be, anyway.—Brooklyn Life.

Vigilance is watching opportunity.—Austin Phelps.

Birth's gude, but breedin's better.—Scotch Proverb.

Necessity keeps a man from getting rusty.—Chicago Daily News.

The brave man is not afraid of being called a coward.—Ram's Horn.

But few people care to boast of their failures.—Chicago Journal.

Enthusiasm, as a general thing, is merely the predecessor of experience.—Puck.

Her Forte.

Grace—Do you not admit that a woman is the best judge of another woman's character?

Gwendolyn—Yes, a good judge; but a better executioner.—Smart Set.

Absurd!

Professor Tourist—My experience has been that the great majority of Americans are gentlemen.

Professor Purist—Rubbish! Statistics show that nearly half of them are ladies.—N. Y. Sun.

Realistic Dream.

"I put a piece of wedding cake under my pillow to dream on and my little brother exchanged it for limburger cheese."

"Well, what happened?"

"I dreamed that I was buried alive."—Cleveland Leader.

Who's Found This Wife?

The following communication was recently received by the city marshal at Joplin, dated Weir City, Kan.: "High Sheriff—Look for my wife.' She left here 3d of August. Her collar is a ginger cape collar 4 feet 6 in. high weight 163 wore a red waist trimmed in black, black lawn skirt with read flowers in it. Little ear rings with star in senter, big eyes, big mouth her mind is not right the doctor says with a strawberry mark to rutt of ear a big reward for information and if it find her let her know at once."—Kansas City Star.

CALLED IT A BATTLE SONG.

It May Have Been an "Ave Maria," But the Painter Couldn't Think So.

Guests at musical parties are not commonly expected to be especially attentive. They may talk to any extent, dependent largely on the amiability of their hostess. But the conduct of a foreign painter in New York surprised his hostess the other night. It also surprised the guests at this entertainment given in his honor. He was seated in the front row, and was the most conspicuous person in the room next to the popular contralto, who had just begun to sing. Before she had finished the first verse the guest of honor arose, walked to his hostess, said good-night, and prepared to leave, relates the New York Sun.

"But you won't go now in the midst of her song," said the hostess. "It is an 'Ave Maria.' It would embarrass her terribly."

By this time all eyes were turned on the painter, but he seemed quite indifferent.

"She may call it an 'Ave Maria,'" he said. "I should say it was a battle song."

With that comment the painter left the house. He has not been allowed to enter it again.

To Australia.

Circuit tour tickets covering the railroad trip to the Pacific Coast and via the various trans-Pacific steamship lines to the far East, are each day becoming a feature of greater popularity to the traveling public. The Chicago & North-Western Ry. have recently announced the sale of tickets of this character to Sidney, Australia, and return, in connection with their Overland Service to the Coast, tickets being good returning via the Royal Mail Line to Vancouver or via the Oceanic S. S. Co.'s Line, the direct route to San Francisco.

These circuit tour tickets are sold at very low rates. The trans-Pacific service has grown and improved very rapidly in recent years and tourists find the trip filled with scenes of picturesque interest not equaled in the old journeys made by tourists through England and on the continent.

The transcontinental train service and the trans-Pacific steamship service are of the highest possible character and the time required for making these journeys is much less than ever before.

Reliable Recipe.

A case of toadstool poisoning at Wichita leads a correspondent to ask for some "reliable recipe whereby one may tell the mushroom from the toadstool." We believe that the only reliable test of these plants was given by the late Artemus Ward—"if you eat 'em and live, they're mushrooms; if you eat 'em and die, they're toadstools." And this is so simple and reliable that it ought to be in use in every family.—Kansas City Journal.

For Your Vacation Trip.

The Yellowstone Park, the nation's playground, is larger than the State of Delaware and nearly twice as large as Rhode Island. As in size it exceeds all other national parks of the world combined, so in grandeur and scenery it is unequaled. Here are located the eight great geysers of the world. Mount Washburne, one of the peaks in the park, has an altitude of 10,388 feet. The whole park is an area of wonders unparalleled. It is from 1,000 to 5,000 feet above the level of the sea and is therefore witnin the zone of two seasons.

But to really know this wonderland you should take a trip through there. You cannot spend a vacation season more profitably or more pleasantly. The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway offers choice of routes to and from Yellowstone Park. If you are interested, complete information about the cost of the trip, choice of routes, train service and tickets will be furnished on request. F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

The Difference.

She—Why, a bachelor is an object of public derision!

He—Yes; and a married man gets his at home.—Puck.

An Unreliable Rumor.

The rumor from Washington that the "Four-Track News" has been sold to Frank Munsey for four million dollars is denied by George H. Daniels, the publisher, who says that the "Four-Track News" will continue to be published at the old stand.—From the Albany Journal.

The fellow who sits down and waits for his rich relations to die must consider that they are worth their wait in gold.—Philadelphia Record.

Mrs. Tupman, a prominent lady of Richmond, Va., a great sufferer with woman's troubles, tells how she was cured.

"For some years I suffered with backache, severe bearing-down pains, leucorrhœa, and falling of the womb. I tried many remedies, but nothing gave any positive relief.

"I commenced taking **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** in June, 1901. When I had taken the first half bottle, I felt a vast improvement, and have now taken ten bottles with the result that I feel like a new woman. When I commenced taking the Vegetable Compound I felt all worn out and was fast approaching complete nervous collapse. I weighed only 98 pounds. Now I weigh 109¾ pounds and am improving every day. I gladly testify to the benefits received."—MRS. R. C. TUPMAN, 423 West 30th St., Richmond, Va.—*$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.*

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Mrs. Pinkham, whose address is Lynn, Mass., will answer cheerfully and without cost all letters addressed to her by sick women. Perhaps she has just the knowledge that will help your case—try her to-day—it costs nothing.

Well Up.

The Professor—Have you had any musical education at all?

Prospective Pupil—Oh, yes, sir! I can pronounce Paderewski, Tchaikowski and Gabrilowitsch.—Woman's Home Companion.

Did It Ever Occur to You

to note the rapid development of East Texas as a truck and fruit-growing country? No? Then write for the pamphlet "Timely Topics No. 2" and become convinced that the resources of Texas are illimitable. Address "Katy," 500 Wainwright, St. Louis, Mo.

Nell—"Would you marry a man just because he happened to be rich?" Bess—"Of course not. But, then, I would try awfully hard to get him to marry me."—Comic Cuts.

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The man who rails at matrimony in public usually deserves the sort of wife he has.—Town Topics.

Piso's Cure for Consumption is an infallible remedy for coughs and colds.—N. W. Samuel, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.

You cannot kick back and pull forward.—Ram's Horn.

June Tint Butter Color makes top of the market butter.

No legacy is so rich as honesty.—Shakespeare.

Opium and Liquor Habits Cured. Book free. B. M. Woolley, M. D., Atlanta, Ga.

Spend to earn rather than earn to spend.—N. Y. Observer.

DOAN'S CHANGE DOUBT TO GLAD SURPRISE

EVERETT, MASS.—I received the sample of Doan's Pills and they stopped all my trouble of pain in the back, from which I have suffered for two years. I am a sole-leather cutter, and being on my feet and lifting heavy dies all day, appreciate the help Doan's Pills have given me. I feel like a new man.—GEO. A. BURGESS, 163 Belmont Street.

ST. LOUIS, MO.—Received sample, and am on my first bottle from the druggist—they helped me wonderfully I had a feeling of wanting to urinate all the time, and trouble in passing, burning and itching. That is all gone now, and I feel thankful.—E. K. STEVENSON, 5351 Easton Ave.

ASPEN, COLO., April 10, 1903.—Doan's Kidney Pills accomplished the desired result in my case—relief came the second day after I commenced taking them. I was troubled with retention and dribbling of the urine. Now it is natural and free as ever in my life.—D. L. STAFFORD.

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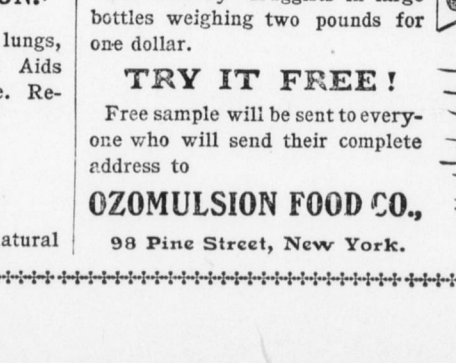
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WEST BRANCH, MICH., April 11th.—Many thanks for the sample of Doan's Kidney Pills. We had tried many remedies with little benefit but found Doan's act promptly, and hit the case, which was an unusual desire to urinate—had to get up five and six times of a night. I think Diabetes was well under way, the feet and ankles swelled. There was an intense pain in the back, the heat of which would feel like putting one's hand up to a lamp chimney. I have used the free trial and two full boxes of Doan's Pills with the satisfaction of feeling that I am cured. They are the remedy par excellence.—B. F. BALLARD.

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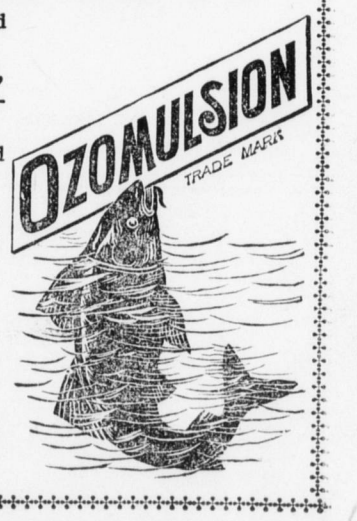

A SLIDE OF ROCK.

It Occurred in a Tunnel at Eggleston Springs, Va.

Nine Men Were Killed and Five Others Injured—The Huge Pile of Stone Will Have to be Dynamited Before Victims Can be Reached.

Roanoke, Va., May 8.—Nine men were killed and five others injured, three of them fatally, late Wednesday evening by a slide of rock in the east end of tunnel No. 2 at Eggleston Springs, Giles county, on the Norfolk & Western railroad. Contractors were engaged in double-tracking the two tunnels at the point named, and when the tunnelling force had removed the earth and stone for the railroad tracks at the point where the calamity occurred a huge slide of solid stone gave way on the mountain side and came down at an angle of about 45 degrees, striking the gang of laborers at work fairly and crushing the life out of nine men.

This strata of solid rock was connected only by clay seams and when the foundation was removed the strata, some 50 feet long, fell without warning, catching the men in a death trap. One man was in a niche of the tunnel way, and was only grazed on the face and head, escaping with slight injuries. He was removed without great difficulty. A second man, who stood on the outer edge of the slide, was only slightly hurt, but three others were more unfortunate and were injured so badly that it is feared they will die. The bodies of the other nine men are still under the mountain slide.

A wrecking car and derrick was taken out from Radford, but thus far have been of no avail. There is no likelihood that the bodies can be recovered soon, as the rock will have to be dynamited and removed bit by bit. This is considered dangerous, as the length of the strata cannot be ascertained, and there is imminent danger of a second crash as soon as the base is removed, and a consequent loss of other lives.

It has been impossible thus far to secure the names of the victims. They are known only to the contractors. One thing that is known is that it was a mixed gang composed both of white and colored laborers.

The accident did not delay traffic materially on the main line. The trains were delayed, however, by another slide in Big Tunnel, at Montgomery, 20 miles east of Eggleston, and trains were held at this slide over four hours.

REFUSE TO WORK.

Italian Laborers on New York's Subway Repudiate Arbitration Agreement.

New York, May 8.—Sweeping aside the pleading of Chevalier Branchi, their consul general, and officials of the Federated Union of Labor, 15,000 striking Italian laborers voted almost unanimously yesterday not to return to work in the city subway until they are assured of $2 for eight hours' work. This means that the arbitration agreement entered into by the committee of the federation and the subway contractors Tuesday is repudiated. Not a stroke of work will be done in the subway today, as was promised by the committee, and another handicap is enforced against the already crippled building operations of the city.

Immediately after the meeting the police were called to suppress a demonstration at One Hundred and Eighteenth street and Second avenue. Only one thing remains to be done, according to the sub-contractors. As soon as the formal reply of the union is received, they will seek non-union labor wherever it can be found. This means, according to some authorities, other Italian laborers, who would be willing to accept $1.87½ for ten hours' work, or $1.50 for eight hours' work; negroes from the south and even from the West Indies.

BURNED TO DEATH.

A Dozen Laborers are Cremated as the Result of a Collision on the Canadian Pacific Railroad.

St. Paul, May 8.—Reports have been received of a serious accident yesterday at Dexter, a small station on the Canadian Pacific railway, 50 miles west of Port Arthur, Ont., in which 12 lives were lost. A large number of laborers were with a work train at Dexter, where they had been loading ties. Their train was on a side track and the men were at breakfast in the caboose, or boarding car, at the end of the train. A passenger train crashed into the caboose where the men were eating, overturning the car.

The wreckage caught fire almost immediately from the engine. Of the men in the car 12 were instantly killed or burned to death in the wreckage, where they had been pinned by the overturning of the car. Eight others were seriously injured, and still others less seriously hurt.

The wreck is far from means of relief and details of the accident are incomplete, as the wires have been working badly and no further information about the accident has been received.

Passed Its Second Reading.

London, May 8.—The Irish land bill has passed its second reading in the house of commons by 443 votes to 262.

Cannot Accept Money for Blood.

Rome, May 8.—Replying in the chamber of deputies yesterday to a demand for an explanation of the present status of the investigation of the lynchings of Italians at Erwin, Miss., in 1901, Under Foreign Secretary Baccelli said that in spite of the activity of Italian officials no convictions had been secured, owing to witnesses declining to make depositions. Signor Baccelli said the American congress had voted $50,000 for the families of the victims, but to this measure the Italian government remained a stranger, as it could not admit a price for blood.

ON ACCOUNT OF HIS COLOR.

Armed and Masked Men Hold Up a Letter Carrier in Tennessee.

Washington, May 8.—The postoffice department was notified yesterday that John C. Allgood, the colored rural free delivery letter carrier, while making his regular trip near Gallatin, Tenn., was stopped by men armed and masked and that he and his colored substitute carrier were warned not to continue in the service under penalty of death. Postmaster General Payne has suspended service on the route pending investigation, and if the reports of the affair are confirmed summary action will follow. The incident may become a second Indianola case.

This rural devilery was put in effect March 1st last. There were five applicants under the civil service rules for appointment as rural carrier. The three men passing the highest on the list were all colored. Under the civil service rules the postmaster general says there is no option with the department except to appoint the person who stands highest on the list, therefore Allen F. Dillard, colored, was appointed. He resigned about three weeks ago and on the 26th of last month the civil service board certified the second man on the list, John C. Allgood, colored.

Postmaster General Payne yesterday telegraphed Special Agent Conger as follows: "Investigate fully case of John C. Allgood, rural free delivery carrier, who was stopped by armed masked men yesterday and his life threatened if he continued in the service, and report. In the meantime service on the route will be suspended until your report on the case is received."

Postmaster General Payne said later if the facts were as reported only two courses of action would be open, namely, to abolish the route and leave the people thereon without that service, or to send soldiers to the scene to protect the carrier in the performance of his duty. Mr. Payne said the former course was the more probable. He called attention to the civil service status of the carriers and said that the appointees are secured through the civil service commission, their selection therefore not being optional with him. It is said at the department that the penalties provided by law for such offenses was covered in Sections 3869 and 3995 of the revised statutes of the United States. The former reads as follows:

Every person who willfully and maliciously assaults any letter carrier who is in uniform while engaged on his route in the discharge of his duty as a letter carrier, and every person who aids or assists therein, shall for every such offence be punishable by a fine of not less than $100 and not more than $1,000, or by imprisonment for not less than one year and not more than three years."

The other section provides that "any person who shall obstruct or retard the passage of a mail carrier shall for every such offence be punishable by a fine of not more than $100."

It is pointed out that the difference between these penalties hinges on the wearing of the uniform and also the word "assault" within the meaning of the law, contemplates just such an offense as that reported.

The Potters' Conclave.

Wheeling, W. Va., May 8.—The first intimation that wages will be disturbed through the annual convention of the National Brotherhoood of Operative Potters was made Thursday when two resolutions were introduced, one providing for a sweeping advance of 10 per cent. on present wages, the other providing for a 12½ per cent. advance. Both were laid over until today. The resolution favoring a three-year wage agreement with the manufacturers was defeated after a warm fight. The convention decided that a three-fourths majority will be necessary for the declaring of strikes instead of the present law requiring nine-tenths vote.

Americans Captured Ten Moro Forts.

Manila, May 8.—Capt. Pershing's column has deefated the sultan of Amparuganu's force of Moros on the east shore of Lake Lanao, island of Mindanao. The Americans captured ten forts. One hundred and fifteen Moros were killed, 13 were wounded and 60 were made prisoners. The Moros captured included the sultan. Two Americans were killed and seven were wounded. The ten forts constituted strong positions on the banks of the Taraca river and from them the Moros vigorously resisted Pershing's advance. The American troops attacked the forts Monday and captured eight of them without suffering any loss.

A Strike Is Averted.

New Haven, Conn., May 8.—It is said at the general office of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad that the car workers of the system, numbering about 2,000 men, have voted to accept the increased offer of pay made by the company to take effect May 2. By this action all danger of a strike is removed.

Clark Buys More Mines.

El Paso, Tex., May 8.—Senator Clark of Montana, has bought from Sol Charles, of the Rosario mines, the famous Guadaloupe group of mines in Chihuahua, Mexico. Unconfirmed reports say the price was $500,000. It is known that Senator Clark offered $450,000 for the property.

A Small Riot at Council Bluffs.

Council Bluffs, Ia., May 8.—A small riot occurred on Main street yesterday as the result of striking teamsters attempting to force a non-union driver to return to the barn with his team. The driver's team was stopped several times by a large crowd of strikers, who finally forced him from his wagon and clubbed him severely. Another driver drew a revolver and was arrested. A number of wagons loaded with goods destined for Omaha and others coming from that city were stopped at the Broadway brige and forced to return.

MUNGER'S INJUNCTION.

The Judge of a Federal Court Takes a Hand in the Omaha Teamsters' Strike.

Omaha, Neb., May 7.—On petition of a number of complainants, including the principal transfer and delivery companies involved in the teamsters' strike, Judge Munger, of the federal court, last night granted a temporary restraining order enjoining the officers and members of Team Drivers' union No. 71 from doing certain acts calculated to interfere with inter-state commerce, and commanding them to appear in court May 20 to show cause why a temporary injunction should not be granted.

The petition was filed by attorneys representing seven delivery companies, five coal dealers, one lumber company, one jobber and a department store.

In their petition the complainants recite the terms of the contract the Team Drivers' association asked them to sign and their particular objection to that clause therein which provided that : "No teamster shall be discharged, laid off or docked in his time or pay for refusing to haul goods to or from any house for a firm, corporation or contractor declared to be 'unfair' by the union," and then go on to relate particular instances in which by threats, intimidation and violence the strikers have interfered with their business.

It is alleged that a threat was made by one of the strikers that if Walter Jardine undertook to do business with non-union drivers he would be assaulted and killed. It is further alleged that inter-state commerce was interfered with when the strikers stopped goods in transit from Omaha to Council Bluffs and from one freight depot to another in Omaha.

The order issued by Judge Munger is of the most sweeping nature. More than 300 members of the Teamster's union are named in the order.

Forty horseshoers were locked out during the day because they refused to shoe horses of firms whose drivers are on strike. About 50 freight package handlers went on strike in obedience to an order issued by their president. Fifty teamsters in the employ of ice companies are ordered out. The Standard Oil Co. has notified its city customers that the company will deliver no more oil until quiet shall be restored and the strike shall be over, fearing to allow its oil and gasoline wagons to be driven on the streets while the trouble lasts.

Both sides are settling down for a prolonged contest and neither shows any signs of yielding. It is estimated that more than 3,000 men are now out and labor leaders claim they will be able to call out several hundred others.

Lincoln, Neb., May 7.—Gov. Mickey has notified the employers at Omaha who had signed an appeal to the state for protection, that he could not call out the troops until the Omaha city and Douglas county authorities had notified him that they were unable to cope with the situation.

THE KENTUCKY TRAGEDY.

Messenger Was Sent to Warn Attorney Marcum of the Plot to Kill Him.

Lexington, Ky., May 7.—A messenger who left the interior of Breathitt county at dawn Monday to bear a warning to Attorney J. B. Marcum that a plot to kill him had been formed the night before, reached Jackson a few minutes after an assassin's bullets had crashed through Marcum's brain and heart as he stood in the court house door. During Sunday night Edward Strong, a friend of Marcum, was informed that a conspiracy had been entered into at a meeting of several desperate men at a blind tiger three miles from Jackson to assassinate Marcum on Monday. At daylight he sent a messenger to convey the information to the attorney, who lay dead when he arrived. This statement was made yesterday by Mrs. Marcum.

Any investigation must be strictly within legal bounds and it may be impossible, even then, to make people feel secure in telling what they know. A newspaper man who arrived from Jackson last night describes the situation there by saying:

"The town may be compared only to a man sitting on a barrel of powder in a shower of sparks. When the explosion will come no one knows, but I believe it is inevitable. At least three men know who assassinated James Marcum, and though they are silent it is believed their doom is sealed. Such knowledge in Breathitt county means death or exile. There are also others left who know who assassinated Jim Cockrell. They will not be overlooked. If these people remain, or there is the possibility of a rigid investigation by the law, I believe that they will be put out of the way at an early day. Several families are preparing to follow the example of more than 50 people who, during the last six months, have fled the country. Male members will leave immediately and when they have found a home the women and children will follow."

A dispatch from Jackson, Ky., says that the people not involved in the feud contemplate calling on Gov. Beckham to bring peace to Breathitt county. It is expected that the contingent with which Marcum was allied, which includes the influential family of Postmaster Hurst, Marcum's father-in-law, are uniting against the Cockrell family with a fair show of precipitating a fight.

A Fortunate Rescue.

New York, May 7.—Twenty-three survivors of the crew of 26 of the French fishing brig Ile De Terre Neuve, of St. Servan, France, arrived here yesterday on the steamship Phoebus, from Hamburg. The Ile De Terre Neuve was swept by a hurricane on April 26 and seven of her men were washed overboard. Of these four were rescued and three drowned. On the 29th the wreck was sighted by the Phoebus and the survivors were taken on board the steamer with much difficulty and the brig was set on fire.

PULSE OF TRADE.

Small Strikes Disturb Important Industrial Undertakings.

New York, May 9.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

Unrest in the ranks of labor has increased rather than abated since May 1, when difficulties of this sort usually culminate. No single struggle of great magnitude is in progress, but the frequencyof small strikes is disturbing, and in the aggregate a large force is idle, while important industrial undertakings are checked.

Good reports are received from footwear factories, shipments from Boston for the year thus far surpassing all records, and clothing makers receive duplications of spring orders in addition to getting out fall samples. Prices of commodities declined slightly during April. Railway earnings in April were 13.4 per cent. larger than in last year.

Cancellation of orders where deliveries failed to be made according to contract and new business at lower quotations indicate a tendency toward more normal conditions in pig iron. This is highly desirable and gives assurance that present activity in iron and steel may be maintained. Pending contracts for about 50,000 tons of structural material have been closed, and other orders are only postponed by uncertainty regarding the labor situation. Railway requirements appear to have no limit, and the proposed extensions will consume large quantities of steel. Billets are one of the scarce articles at present, even imports being arranged with difficulty. Implement manufacturers are surpassing all records in their purchases of merchant steel, machine shops are working at full capacity, and there is a brisk demand for plates, pipes and tubes.

Textile manufacturers at the east have not improved their positions during the past week. Jobbers are buying only small quantities, exercising a discrimination that indicates dull markets elsewhere, and salesmen are being withdrawn from the road. With large print mills closed, there is no activity in print cloths, nor is the movement of brown sheetings and drills of any account.

More woolen mills have closed, and the market is featureless, but the new wool clip is firmly held.

Failures the past week numbered 175 in the United States, against 218 last year, and 22 in Canada, compared with 24 a year ago.

SIGNIFICANT MANEUVER.

Russia Reoccupies New Chwang in Manchuria with a Large Force.

Peking, May 8.—The Russians have reoccupied New Chwang with a large force and have also put garrisons in the forts at the mouth of the Liao river. They are further reported to be making extensive warlike preparations.

The news of Russian activity adds that on their return to New Chwang the Russian troops brought with them several large guns. A large force has been ordered to reoccupy Tien Chwang Tai..

The Russians have 14,000 troops between the mouth of the Liao river and Port Arthur.

The Russians are reported to be constructing forts on the hills near Liao Yung, commanding the road between there and the Yalu river, and they have arranged to have a large quantity of provisions delivered at New Chwang.

Russia's coup has caused profound surprise here, as recent developments had led to the expectation that Russia would compromise her demands, since they had been revealed to the powers. The latest maneuver is interpreted as being intended as a reply to China's refusal to grant Russia's demands and as a declaration that she is ready to fight in order to maintain possession of Manchuria. It is considered significant that the Russian army reoccupied certain strategical posts at just about the time naval reinforcements were reaching the Gulf of Pe-Chi-Li.

HELD UP THE MAILS.

Charge Brought by Street Railroaders Against Their Employers.

Pittsburg, May 9.—The convention of Amalgamated Street Railway Employes of America wound up its business last night with the election of officers.

One of the most important actions taken by the convention was the decision to address a communication to the president of the United States, reciting the use of the mails by different street car companies and asking him to demand of the postmaster general that he enforce the postal laws and correct the abuse.

Some grievances were recited by delegates over the manner in which the United States mails were used in San Francisco and New Orleans during the time the street car men were having trouble with their employers on account of organizing divisions of the union. It was asserted that in the former city the mails of the street car men were held up, that letters were opened and photographs were taken of the contents, which in many cases were posted by the employers at the various car barns. This was done, it is alleged, in order to deter employes from joining the union. In New Orleans similar methods were practiced in order to suppress the forming of unions.

The convention denounced this sort of use of the mails and appointed a committee of five to convey their disapproval of such practices to President Roosevelt.

A Big Strike Is Declared.

Pittsburg, May 9.—All of the union bricklayers in western Pennsylvania, the members of the International Stone union, the members of the National Association of Brick and Tile Makers of America, their helpers and the clay miners and their helpers, all of which are affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, will quit work at noon today. Fully 50,000 men will be idle until a setlement is effected and all construction work in western Pennsylvania will be stopped. This was decided last night at a mass meeting of the bricklayers and the stonemasons.

ROOSEVELT'S TOUR.

The President Enthusiastically Received by the Western People.

Grand Canyon, Ariz., May 7.—Arizona welcomed President Roosevelt here yesterday and the welcome it gave him was a warm one. A special train from Flagstaff brought a large crowd and people also came in from the surrounding country on horseback and in wagons. The president's train arrived here at 9 a. m. and until it left at 6 o'clock in the evening he was constantly on the go. Horses were in waiting at the station as the train pulled in and after the president had greeted a number of members of his old regiment he mounted and took a 12-mile ride. Then he returned to the hotel, where he made a brief address to the people and presented diplomas to the graduates of the Flagstaff school.

Redlands, Cal., May 8.—President Roosevelt was formally welcomed to California yesterday before a crowd estimated at 10,000. The president's special left Barstow at 8:30 a. m. and arrived here at noon. In front of the Hotel Casaloma was packed a mass of humanity that stretched for two blocks east and west. The enthusiasm displayed must have reminded the guest in whose honor the demonstration had been planned that California's hospitality really was what he cared it to be. At the east side of the grounds Company G, California national guard, was stationed, uniformed in blue, with campaign hats, leggings and guns. The New York society was at the south, and along the west were formed the Y. M. C. A. Cadets in uniform.

On the corner opposite the balcony from which the president spoke 1,500 school children were seated. As the president approached each of the children waved a flag and then their young voices were often raised in cheers. They also sang the national airs. President Roosevelt was presented to Gov. Pardee and Lieut. Gov. Anderson. The party then took their places on the balcony, where all the members of the legislative committee, ladies and local committeemen were seated. Just below the balcony were ranged the Grand Army veterans, while nearby were "Teddy's Terrors," uniformed.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 9.—President Roosevelt made his entry into Los Angeles Friday afternoon. The enthusiastic welcome that has greeted him at each stopping place in California reached a climax when the special train drew into La Grande station. Los Angeles had for many days been preparing for him and she was ready, dressed in her best.

The annual fiesta de las flores, the chief feature of which is the elaborate floral parade, was arranged this year to coincide with the visit of the president. The parade occurred Friday afternoon and was reviewed by the president.

The presidential train left Riverside at an early hour. On the way over the Santa Fe a half hour's stop was made at Claremont, where the president spoke to the students of Pomona college. From Claremont the train ran through the picturesque San Gabriel valley to Pasadena, where a stop of two hours was made.

On the way to the Wilson high school, where the president delivered a short speech, he passed under a floral archway which extended for two blocks on Marengo avenue. The front of the archway was a solid mass of flowers from base to top, with festoons of vari-colored roses draped across from curb to curb.

AN OCEAN TRAGEDY.

An American Schooner and 15 Lives Lost on the Coast of Nova Scotia.

Canso, N. S., May 7.—The American fishing schooner Gloriana, Capt. George Stoddart, of Gloucester, Mass., ran ashore during a thick fog on the cliffs at Whale Cove, near White Point, late Tuesday night and 15 of the crew, including the captain, were drowned out of a total of 18.

The Gloriana left the northeast bar of Sable Island Tuesday afternoon, bound for Canso. There was a heavy easterly gale blowing, with thick fog. The vessel was kept under short sail, and it is presumed that Capt. Stoddart believed he had plenty of sea room. When the Gloriana struck on the ledges she passed over the outer ones, but brought on the inner reef, butted against a cliff of rocks and then fell off into the sea. When the vessel struck the cliff, Richards, Leblanc and Nickerson were on deck and they ran forward, rushed ont on the bowsprit and climped up the cliff of rocks to a place of safety before a receding wave carried the vessel off again. Others of the crew who were below rushed on deck half clad and started to lower the dories. As soon as each boat touched the water it was smashed to pieces.

The high seas were breaking clean over the vessel and she swung broadside on the ledges and commenced pounding heavily. Lines were thrown ashore from the schooner several times, but they were either broken or torn from their fastenings on the rocks by the surging of the vessel. Four of the crew jumped overboard, and attempted to swim ashore, but they were caught in the breakers, dashed against the rocks and killed in the attempt. The others who were on the vessel took to the rigging and clung there while their strength lasted, but the enormous seas were more than they could battle against and one by one they were swept away.

Faulkner Is Allowed to Resign.

Washington, May 9.—Secretary of War Root has accepted the resignation of First Lieut. Charles P. Faulkner, of the Eighth infantry, endorsing his action "for the good of the service." Faulkner while serving in Alaska was charged with misappropriating funds belonging to enlisted men and also with being short in his accounts. The money losses were made good by the young man's father, ex-Senator Faulkner, of West Virginia. Leniency was shown because of the good record of the officer in the Philippines.

MACHEN DISMISSED

Superintendent of Free Delivery Succeeded by Mr. Fosnes.

Mr. Machen Has Been Under Fire for a Number of Months—The Postmaster General Acts Upon Recommendation of Mr. Bristow.

Washington, May 9.—The investigation of the affairs of the postoffice department, which has been dragging along for two months, took a sensational turn late Friday afternoon when, by order of Postmaster General Payne, August Machen, general superintendent of the free delivery system and one of the most widely known government officials in the United States, was relieved from his duties and Postoffice Inspector M. C. Fosnes was designated to take charge of that office. The change will take effect today, when Mr. Fosnes will assume charge of the free delivery service and at the same time that service will pass under the control of the office of the fourth assistant postmaster general. Heretofore it has been under the jurisdiction of the first assistant.

The action of the postmaster general was taken on the written recommendation of Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow, who is directing the investigation of the affairs of the department, that the transfer of Mr. Machen's bureau to his jurisdiction and its administration by a postoffice inspector will expedite the investigation. In ordering the change recommended the postmaster general gave Mr. Machen "leave of absence until the investigation is concluded." Mr. Machen promptly acquiesced in the decision of the postmaster general, taking occasion to say in doing so that he courted the fullest investigation of his official conduct.

Mr. Machen has been under fire ever since the investigation began. Charges of various kinds have been preferred against the administration of the free delivery branch of the postal service. These included allegations of collusion with letter box manufacturers in the furnishing of boxes to postoffice patrons, particularly on rural mail routes; the furnishing of advance information regarding the selection of routes and the appointments of carriers, etc.

There also has been a conflict between Mr. Machen and First Assistant Postmaster General Wynne ever since the latter assumed office. Mr. Wynne charges Mr. Machen with insubordination. The strained relations between the head of the free delivery service and other officials resulted in an embarrassing state of affairs, and for several months correspondence between the general superintendent of the free delivery service and his immediate superior, the first assistant postmaster general, has been conducted, on the part of the former, through one of his subordinates.

Mr. Machen came here from Toledo, O., in 1893, and qualified as superintendent of the free delivery service on May 6 of that year. Since then the office has grown to immense proportions and the rural free delivery mail service has been introduced and extended to cover all parts of the country.

Mr. Fosnes is one of the best known inspectors in the service. He is chief assistant of Mr. Bristow in the investigation. He is a native of Norway, where he was born in 1851 and his home Des Moines, Ia. He was once a special examiner of the pension bureau, and subsequently served as postoffice inspector at Philadelphia, Chicago, Helena, Mont., and St. Paul. He is still postoffice inspector in charge of the St. Paul division.

He is best known in connection with his investigation of the postal frauds in Cuba. On the sensational dismissal of Estes G. Rathbone, Mr. Fosnes was appointed director general of posts of Cuba, assuming that office on June 23, 1900, and holding it until May 20, 1902, when the United States sovereignty on the island ceased.

Ex-Representative Loud, of California, who was chairman of the house committee on postoffices and postroads, has spent much time during the past two or three days in conference with Postmaster General Payne, First Assistant Postmaster General Wynne and Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow. Mr. Loud and Mr. Machen have been at odds for nearly two years and it is believed that the counsel of Mr. Loud figured in Friday's developments.

Tuscarora to Patrol the Lakes.

Washington, May 9.—Under orders of the treasury department the Tuscarora, one of the new type of revenue cutters, will proceed shortly to the great lakes for service in those waters, with headquarters at Milwaukee. She carries a crew of 04 men and six officers. She will relieve the cutter Fessenden, which will be brought to the Atlantic coast.

A Mystery Is Solved.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., May 9.—The body of Charles Dennison, of the firm of Sidney, Shepard & Co., of Buffalo and Chicago, who mysteriously disappeared from a Buffalo hotel several weeks ago, was found Friday in the Niagara river below the Falls.

Pennsy Defeats Columbia.

Philadelphia, May 9.—The dual track meet between the University of Pennsylvania and Columbia university on Franklin field yesterday was won by Pennsylvania by a score of 68 to 49 points. The most interesting performance was the half-mile race, in which Orton and Klaer, of Pennsylvania, and Kohn and Taylor, of Columbia, four of the best half-mile college runners in the country, were matched. Klaer and Taylor set the pace, but near the finish Orton and Kohn spurted, the former finishing first, with Kohn, who passed Klaer, a close second, in 1:59¾

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CALL FOR STATE CONVENTION.

TO THE REPUBLICAN ELECTORS OF PENNSYLVANIA:

I am directed by the Republican State Committee to announce that the Republicans of Pennsylvania, by their duly chosen Representatives, will meet in convention at the Opera House, in the city of Harrisburg, on Wednesday, May 27th, 1903, at 10:30 o'clock, a.m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices, to-wit:

One person for the office of State Treasurer.

One person for the office of Auditor General.

Two persons for the office of Judge of the Superior Court.

In accordance with the rules governing the organization, the representation in the State Convention will be based on the vote polled at the last Presidential election. Under the rules each legislative district is entitled to one delegate for every two thousand votes cast for the Presidential Electors in 1900, and additional delegate for every fraction of two thousand votes polled in excess of one thousand.

By order of the Republican State Committee.

M. S. QUAY, Chairman.

W. R. ANDREWS, Secretary.

SALUS-GRADY LIBEL BILL SIGNED.

HARRISBURG, May 12.—Governor Pennypacker approved the Grady-Salus libel bill at 4:30 this afternoon, and at the same time issued a long statement, giving the reasons for his action. The bill which was in the Governor's hands for more than one month, goes into effect immediately and repeals all laws or parts of laws inconsistent with the new act.

The Governor says in his statement that the questions rised by the bill are of very grave importance and effect large business interests, the freedom of speech of the press, the right of the citizens to be informed concerning current affairs and the conduct of government, as well as his right to protect his reputation and home from the injuries that result from careless or negligent as well as malicious false reports.

In his opinion they are of importance for further reason that whichever way decided, the fact that they are raised indicates a widespread dissatisfcction with existing conditions, and their correct decision is likely to have an effect within and without the Commonwealth. They are deserving, therefore, of the most careful consideration and the conclusion, unaffected by any personal feeling and unswayed by any fear of personal consequences, ought to be reached upon the high plane of what will be for the good of the people.

When you want a pleasant physic try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale by L. Taggart.

Many people talk, some listen and a few actually say things.

In almost every neighborhood someone has died from an attack of colic or cholera morbus, often before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. A reliable remedy for these diseases should be kept at hand. The risk is too great for any one to take. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhiea Remedy has undoubtedly saved the lives of more people and relieved more pain and suffering than any other medicine in use. It can always be depended upon. For sale by L. Taggart.

There is no place like the home of a young man's best girl.

A Little Early Riser.

Now and then, at bedtime will cure constipation, biliousness and liver troubles. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the famons little pills that cure by arousing the secretions, moving the bowels gently, yet effectually, and giving such tone and strength to the glands of the stomach and liver that the cause of the trouble is removed entirely, and if there use is continued for a few days, their will be no return of the complaint. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

The Eureka Mfg. Co., of East St Louis, Ill., want a man with rig to introduce Poultry Mixture in this county. They guarantee $3 50 a day to a good worker and they furnish bank reference of their reliability. Send stamp for particulars. Eureka Mfg. Co., Box 99, East St. Louis, Ill.

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Postponed Her Bath.

Miss Flora Shaw, the well known correspondent of the London Times, was once traveling through Africa in a bullock wagon. The sun was blazing, the bullocks were slow, the dust was indescribable. She was making for a frontier town, where she anticipated the comforts of a bath. At the entrance to the place Miss Shaw, dead beat, dusty and irritable, found herself confronted with the ordeal of a public reception. The officials read her a welcome. She was as civil as she could be. Then she bolted for the hotel. She gave but one order—"Hot water, quick!"

She sat on the edge of the bed and waited. Some minutes passed. At last a black servant entered with a tin vessel, in which there was something steaming. Seizing it, Miss Shaw poured out a milky, odoriferous liquid. She turned to the servant for an explanation.

The hotel was very short of water. As a distinguished guest, a point had been stretched for her. They had sent her the water in which the fish had just been boiled!

Living by His Books.

An amusing story is told of Robert Buchanan, the author, who, like many another well known literary man, had a hard struggle at the beginning of his career. He had just published one of his early novels when one day he found himself the possessor of a fine appetite, but without any money in his pocket at the moment to get a meal. He thought of ways and means for some time and finally hit upon an idea.

He went to the office of his publisher and asked for three copies of his new novel, directing that the cost should be placed to his account. Armed with the fresh, nicely bound volumes, he immediately sought out the nearest secondhand bookseller and disposed of the copies for as much as they would bring.

"I remember I enjoyed that dinner tremendously," he said. "It proved to my entire satisfaction that even the humblest author could live by his books!"

New York Pawnbrokers.

In New York the pawnbroker is compelled to wait a year and one month before offering pawned articles for sale. During the last month of this period the merchandise must be so advertised that the person who pawned the goods may recognize them as his property from the description given in the published notice.

As an instance of the severity of the court against any infraction of this rule a pawnbroker who loaned a certain lady $6,000 upon a valuable necklace valued at $12,000 and at the expiration of the required limit sold the jewels without specifying explicitly enough so that the lady was enabled to recognize and redeem her property the New York court ordered that the lender pay to the lady $6,000 and a year's interest on the value of the necklace.

A Curious Royal Custom.

When any Spanish sovereign dies, the body is at once submitted to the process of fossilization, nor can it be placed in the royal pantheon until the body has been absolutely turned into stone. Curiously enough, the period required for fossilization varies considerably. Some royal bodies have become solidified in a very short period, while others have taken years before the fossilization took place. It took exactly thirteen years to convert the body of the father of Alfonso XIII. of Spain into stone.

Riding Away With the Bride.

In many of the border counties of England the quaint old bridal customs of hundreds of years ago are still in vogue. The parents carefully abstain from appearing at the marriage ceremony, clinging to the idea that the bridegroom still rides away on a foaming steed with his bride behind him as in the good old days. The brides prefer the custom to the modern method of being given away at the altar in the orthodox fashion.

To Reform Him.

Minister—You say you are going to marry a man to reform him. That is noble. May I ask who it is?

Miss Beauti—It's young Mr. Bondclipper.

Minister—Indeed! I did not know he had any bad habits.

Miss Beauti—Yes, his friends say that he is becoming quite miserly.—New York Weekly.

Good Position.

A young lady applicant for a school, says a St. Louis humorist, was asked the question, "What is your position upon whipping children?" and her reply was, "My usual position is on a chair, with the child held firmly across my knees face downward." She got the school.

Ocular Demonstration.

Tourist—Land pretty fertile around here?

Western Farmer—Waal, yer see them telegraph poles? Waal, las' week they was only hitchin' posts!

The Men With Ideas.

Ideas rule the world today, and a new idea leads the world to progress; hence the man with ideas is the real sovereign and leader of the people.—Maxwell's Talisman.

His Oversight.

He—Why didn't you answer my letter asking you to marry me?

She—You didn't inclose a stamp.—Town and Country.

There are over 40,000 total abstainers in the British army.

Theaters in Japan are usually built of wood.

DR. FENNER'S KIDNEY and Backache CURE

All diseases of Kidneys, Bladder, Urinary Organs. Also Rheumatism, Backache, Heart Disease, Gravel, Dropsy, Female Troubles.

Don't become discouraged. There is a cure for you. If necessary write Dr. Fenner. He has spent a life time curing just such cases as yours. All consultations Free.

"A gravel lodged in my bladder. After using a few bottles of Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure I passed a gravel half as large as a marble. The medicine prevented further formations. I was cured.
W. T. OAKES. Orrix, Va."

Druggists, 50c., $1. Ask for Cook Book—Free.

ST. VITUS' DANCE Sure Cure. Circular, Dr Fenner, Fredonia, N. Y.

The Candid Pepys.

No man has ever yet succeeded in painting an honest portrait of himself in an autobiography however sedulously he may have set to work about it. In spite of his candid purpose he omits necessary touches and adds superfluous ones. At times he cannot help draping his thought, and the least shred of drapery disguises it. It is only the diarist who accomplishes the feat of self portraiture, and he, without any such end in view, does it unconsciously. A man cannot keep a daily record of his comings and goings and the little items that make up the sum of his life and not inadvertently give himself away at every turn. He lays bare his heart with a candor not possible to the self consciousness that inevitably colors premeditated revelation. Unknowingly he wears his heart upon his pen for daws to peck at. While Mr. Samuel Pepys was filling those small octavo pages with his perplexing cipher he never once imagined that he was adding a photographic portrait of himself to the world's gallery of immortals. We are more intimately acquainted with Mr. Samuel Pepys, the inner man—his little meannesses and his generosities—than we are with half the persons we call our dear friends.—T. B. Aldrich in Atlantic.

Punctuation.

In the earliest Latin inscriptions and manuscripts no system of punctuation is followed. The full point (.) was gradually introduced, being placed on the level, middle or top of the letters. In the minuscule manuscripts of the eighth, ninth and following centuries the period, on the line or high, was first used; then the comma and semicolon and the inverted semicolon, whose power was rather stronger than that of the comma. Some say that the Caroline minuscules of the ninth century exhibit the note of interrogation, for which the inverted semicolon, which was gradually dropped, may have furnished the mark. The Greeks use the semicolon as an interrogation point. In English the colon is said to have been introduced about 1485, the comma about 1501 and the semicolon about 1570. In Sir Philip Sidney's "Arcadia" (1587) all the punctuation points appear, including the note of interrogation, asterisk and parentheses.

Incorrigible.

It was decided that Mr. Wright must administer a stern lecture to his four-year-old daughter Florence. The little girl had been naughty, but she did not seem to appreciate the fact, and Mr. Wright reluctantly undertook a "scolding."

He hated to make the tender little heart ache and to see the dear child cry, but he forced himself to speak judiciously and severely. He recounted her misdeeds and explained the why and wherefore of his stern rebuke. Mrs. Wright sat by, looking duly impressed.

Finally Mr. Wright paused for breath and also to hear the small culprit acknowledge her error. The scolding was never continued. Florence turned a face beaming with admiration to her mother and said innocently:

"Isn't papa interesting?"

The Christian Name.

The term "Christian name" is used in England and America only. "Baptismal name" is used in other countries. The term seems to have been used first after the reformation, when Biblical names were used as a reaction against the use of the saints' names in the calendar. It is evident that all Biblical names are not Christian, but the reaction went so far as to consider everything in the Bible as Christian and everything not in the Bible as pagan or certainly non-Christian.

Eye Specialist.

Prof. W. H. Budine, the well known Eye Specialist, of Binghamton, N. Y., will be at R. H. Hirsch's jewelry store, Emporium, Pa., May 15th and 16th. If you can't see well or have headache don't fail to call and see Prof. Budine, as he guarantees to cure all such cases. Lenses ground and fitted in old frames. Eyes tested and examined free. All work guaranteed.

Any Church.

Or parsonage or institution supported by voluntary contribution will be given a liberal quanity of the Longman & Martinez Pure Paints whenever they paint.

NOTE- Have done so for twenty-seven years. Sales: tens of millions of gallons; painted nearly two million houses under guarantee to repaint if not satisfactory. The paint wears for periods up to eighteen years. Linseed Oil must be added to the paint (done in two minutes). Actual cost then about $1.25 a gallon. Samples free. Sold by our Agents. Harry S. Lloyd.

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In red printed wrappers, colors cot ton, wool or silk in same bath. Sample 10c, any color. New Peerless, Elmira, N. Y. 50-26t.

GREATLY ALARMED.

By a Persistent Cough, but Permanently Cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Mr. H. P. Barbage, a student at law, in Greenville, S.C., had been troubled for four or five years with a continuous cough which he says, "greatly alarmed me, causing me to fear that I was in the first stage of consumption." Mr. Barbage, having seen Chamberlain's Cough Remedy advertised, concluded to try it. Now read what he says of it: I soon felt a remarkable change and after using two bottles of the twetnty-five cent size, was permanently cured." Sold by L. Taggart.

A thing of beauty is a joy while it contiuues to draw.

"A man living on a farm near here came in short time ago completely doubled up with rheumatism. I handed him a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and told him to use it freely and if not satisfied after using it he need not pay a cent for it," says C. P. Rayder of Pattens Mills, N. Y. "A few days later he walked into the store as straight as a string and handed me a dollar saying give me another bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm I want it in the house all the time for it cured me." For sale by L. Taggart.

Free faults are lost, yet many are found.

Quick Arrest.

J. A. Galledge of Verbena, Ala., was twice in the hospital from a severe case of piles causing 24 tumors. After doctors and all remedies failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly arrested further inflammation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c, at L. Taggart druggist.

A man's deeds last longer than his words.

The Wastes of the Body.

Every seven days the blood, muscles and bowels of a man of average size loses two pounds of wornout tissue. This waste cannot be replenished and the health and strength keep up without perfect digestion. When the stomach and digestive organs fail to perform their functions the strength lets down, health gives way, and disease sets up. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure enables the stomach and digestive organs to digest and assimilate all of the wholesome food that may be eaten into the kind of blood that rebuilds the tissues and protects the health and strength of the mind and body. Kodol cures Indigestion, Dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. It is an ideal spring tonic. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

It takes money to voice the opinion of a lawyer.

The X-Rays.

Recent experiments, by practical tests and the examination with the aid of the X-Rays, established it as a fact that Catarrh of the Stomach is not a disease of itself, but that it results from repeated attacks of indigestion. "How can I Cure my Indigestion?" Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is curing thousands. It will cure you of indigestion and dyspepsia, and prevent or cure Catarrh of the Stomach. Kodol digests what you eat—makes the stomach sweet. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

Fortune seldom knocks at the door of the knocker.

Mr. Josiah Pominville, of Stillwater, Minn., after having spent over $2,000 with the best doctors for stomach trouble, without relief was advised by his druggist, Mr. Alex Richard to try a box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. He did so and is a well man to-day. If troubled with indigestion, bad taste in the mouth, lack of appetite or constipation, give these Tablets a trial, and you are certain to be more than pleased with the result. For sale 25 cents per box by L. Taggart.

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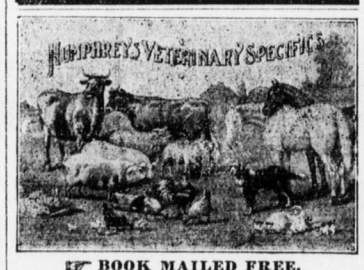

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Coutributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postal card or letter, personally.

Mrs. Frank T. Beers is visiting friends in Bellefonte.

Mrs. John Pugsley, of Toronto, Ont., was guest of Rev. and Mrs. Pugsley last week.

Ralph C. Davison has returned from visiting friends in Philadelphia and Chambersburg.

Ex-Sheriff J. W. Kriner was called Mt. Union on Monday to attend the funeral of a sister.

Register Woodward, of Everett, Pa., is looking after the Kirk Estate interests in Emporium this week.

A. J. Turley, who formerly resided in Emporium, was a heavy sufferer by the forest fires, losing most of his camp outfit.

R. H. Hirsch, made a business trip to Buffalo Friday. His bright young son looked after the business while he was away.

Rev. J. M. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Howard and B. W. Green were attending Episcopal convention at Pittsburg this week.

Sam Patterson, who left Emporium about six years, has returned and proposes settling down here. He has been located in Cleveland.

Mrs. Elias Cramer, who has been ill for the past ten days, is slowly recovering. Mrs. Cramer's daughter, of Williamsport, is here, assisting in the care of her mother.

Grant Allen is suffering from indigestion—the result of eating his own cooking. His supply of clean dishes is nearly exhausted, and his condition is rapidly becoming desperate.

Mrs. Helen Day Metzger left Monday for an extended visit to New York, Boston and other eastern cities. We wish her a pleasant trip and a safe return to our little town in the hills.

Robt. Wright and family, formerly residents of Emporium who have resided in Rochester for several years, have left that city and are now located at Oil City, where Mr. Wright has a good situation.

Miss Laura Strawbridge of Johnsonburg was guest here a couple of days last week and attended the commencement exercises and alumni reception. Miss Strawbridge is not forgotton in her native town. Her many friends hope she will make them a more extended visit in the near future.

Jos. M. Butler, proprietor of the Connelly House dined on fine Canadian trout Sunday, having received five fine specimens Saturday evening by express from his brother at New Castle, Ont. One of them was for attorney Sam Smith. They ranged from fifteen to eighteen inches and caused a "longing' among fellows here who saw them to hie away to Canada.—Port Allegany Reporter.

C. E. Hubbard, of Patterson N. J., formerly a resident of Shippen township, where he was engaged in the manufacture of lumber at what was formerly called Hubbard Station, has been visiting in this section for several days. Messrs. Hubbards own a large tract of land which is underlaid with a good quality of coal. It is hoped that at some future day this property will be developed.

Mrs. Jacob Slaigle, of Sheffield, is visiting friends in town, guest of Mrs. J. F. Parsons.

Judge Andrew Kaul of St. Marys is in a very precarious condition and unable to transact business.

C. H. Jessop, F. D. Leet and Mr. Lewis returned on Wednesday from viewing the Niagara Falls property and consider it a good investment.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bryan, of Bradford. Mrs. Margaret O'Brian, and Mrs. Mary Galvin, of Belfast, N. Y., are visiting O. J. Nangle and family, this week.

E. J. Jones, Esq., of St. Marys, was a very welcome PRESS visitor yesterday. He is very successful we are pleased to learn and is rapidly getting onto "easy street."

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Bannsoh have returned from their wedding trip in the south and have been guests of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McDonald on Fifth street.

Mr. Jas. L. Norie left yesterday to visit relatives and friends at Williamsport. Mr. Norie will travel the "hot sands" before returng home' in other words initiated into the Shrine.

We regret to learn that S. S. Hacket; editor of Independent is in very poor health. He has always been a very rugged, healthy man and to be laid up must feel lonesome. Hope he may be benefitted.

Chas. Cox, who has been employed at the City Bakery for the past two years will leave on Saturday for Ohio where he has accepted a similar position. His many friends are sorry that he has decided to leave Emporium.

Baptist Church Notes.

Preaching morning and evening by the pastor. Morning subject, "The Christian's Lamp and the World's Light." Evening topic, "Groans from Hell or The Cries of A Damned Soul."

Bible school at the close of morning worship, C. E, Crandell, supt. Y. P. S. C. E., at 6:30, B. Olmsted, President. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:45. Don't miss the Benedictory Song Service at the close of worship Sunday evening.

BRIEF MENTION.

Few gerallons; wears longer; Devoe Good Pasture to let. Inquire of J. H. Day.

J. W. Kriner has been making some changes in the City Hotel this week.

House and lot on Allegheny avenue for sale at a bargain. Apply to Mrs. Comby.

Call on N. Seger if you want something fine in the clothiing line.

Trunks, valises, telescopes, dress suit cases and in fact anything you may want at N. Seger's.

The finest line of clothing in this section can be found at N. Seger's and the prices are very reasonable. Call and see him.

All Smokers smoke the 'W. H. Mayer" hand made cigar, the best five cent cigar on the market. Be sure you ask for it. 24-tf.

Michael Murphy says it was not him who was frightened by a bear while out fishing, but John Hogan and Ed. Hillyard.

LOST—May 3rd, one pair, rimless spectacles, with gold bows and nose pinch. Finder will please leave at bicycle shop, and receive reward.
MRS. J. R. FETTER.

An exchange is moved to remark thusly: The "sweet girl graduate" will soon be in bloom, and bless her dear little American heart, her equal cannot be found in any country beyond the seas.

A learned editor says: It is true Mrs. Burdick will receive $25,000 from the estate of Arthua R. Pennell, but she has sustained losses on his account which no money consideration can make good.

The Fourteenth anniversaiy of the Epworth League will be celebratod in the Methodist church next Sunday evening, May 17, at the hour for public worship, 7:30. The newly elected officers will then be installed. The program is based on the fact that this year is the 200th anniversary of the birth of John Wesley. All will be made welco me.

Letter to Frank Pearsall.

Emporium, Pa.

Dear Sir: Here's an interesting story about paint. We give you the name of the story-teller; write him and find out all about it.

Mr. John Hanna, grocer, of Girard, Penn., painted his house with Devoe Lead aed Zinc paint. He thought it expensive, but he bought it. After finishing the job, he brought back nearly half the paint and said it was the cheapest job of painting he ever did.

Write to Mr. Burt Young and Mr E. H. Hiler of the same place. Also to Mr. H. H. Stephenson, Cashier of Oil City (Pa.) Savings Bank.

It is the cheapest paint in the world because it is all paint. It covers most surface to the gallon, and it wears longest.

There's going to be a lot of this paint used in Emporium. When it geta a foot-hold, it never lets up; and the painter who uses Devoe Lead and Zinc is going to save money for his patrons

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The proprietors of Mi-o-na, the great dyspepsia remedy, have made arrangements with L. Taggart the popular druggist to give away samples of Mi-o-na to those presenting the following coupon at his store.

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This coupon, if presented at my store, entitles the holder to a two day's' treatment of Mi-o-na, the great dyspepsia cure.
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Mi-o-na is the only dyspepsia remedy upon the market that is sold under a positive guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure. A box costs but 50 cents and L. Taggart will refund the money if it does not do all that is claimed of it.

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Millionaire Gives Keys to Success.

CHICAGO, May 8.—John G. Shedd, millionaire and partner of Marshall Field in the dry goods business, talked to day to 500 men in their employ and gave them these keys to success:—

"The man who is not polite is ninety-nine times out of a hundred a failure.

"High moral character is the best commodify a business man can keep in stock.

"You can't be a good salesman and be a liar.

"I wish there was no such things a tobacco in existence.

"You can't aim too high, and be sure and pull the tricker before you get wobbly.

"Breathe pure air. Associate with good companions. Drink plenty of pure water, and nothing that will intoxicate. By a little training you will have an outfit which will take you far on the road to success in business.

"Learn how to save. Give the money you are spending for tobacco and drinks to your wife to put in the savings bank. Don't ever invest your savings for the sake of the income. It's very dangerous.

"The "big head" is the worst disease that ever attaked a young man.

"The fellow who only thinks ordianarily and lives ordianarly and dosn't much care will never go anywhere.

"Don't lose your temper, let the other fellow lose his.

"Those who in their youth have found themselves really in need of earning their daily bread have been those who have made the successes in life.

From a Cat Scratch.

On the arm, to the worst sort of a burn sore or boil, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is a quick cure. In buying Witch Hazel Salve, be particular to get DeWitt's—this is the salve that heals without leaving a scar. A specific for blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

Warren Will Celebrate.

Warren is making a strong bid for Fourth of July patronage and judging from the splendid amusements promised the town will be crowded as never before in her history. The Columbian Athletic Club of that ciiy, having a membership of nearly 200, propose conducting a Grand Carnival from June 29th to July 4th inclusive. What is considered one of the best carnival companies has been engaged and this attraction carrying over 150 people will be a principal attraction. In addition there will be scores of open-air attractions during the day of the Fourth and a grand fireworks display will prove a feature of the evening program.

An Oldsmobile has been purchased by the club which will be given away to the person holding the lucky ticket. The machine is a strictly first-class one and is valued at $800.

The business men of Warren have co-operated by subscribing $2,000 to assist in making the celebration a successful one. The Columbian Athletic club has obligated itself for a still larger amount and fully $5,000 will be at their command to make the occasion the greatest in Warren's history. Splendid accomodations will be provided for all visitors and a day of amusement and recreation is assured.

A detailed announcements of the hundreds of attractions will be made in the near future and a hearty invitation is extended all to participate in the grand celebration of the national birthday.

School Report, Month Ending May 6.

Number of pupils registered during term	730
Number in attendance during month	613
Average attendance during month	567
Per cent. of attendance during month	95
Number present every day of the month	308
Number of pupils tardy	49
Number of pupils sick	44
Number of visitors	65

The above per centage is better than during any other month during term. The per centage of attendance for the entire term is 93. The best records for the month were by the following schools: Miss Larrabee's, 98; Miss Barker, 98; Miss Bryan's, 97; Miss Robinson's, Miss Gregory's and the High School, 96; Miss Ritchie's, Miss Cleary's and Miss Metzger's, 95.

PROMOTIONS.

The following certificates of admission were issued and show the composition of each school next term. The names are not arranged according to rank:

High School, Senior Class—Elmer Baxter, Francis Blumle, Claude Carpenter, Mabel Edwards, Alvira Farr, Ellen Farrell, Stella Geary, Myrtle Gregory, Fred Heilman, Belle Husted, Carolyne Lechner, Eva Lewis, Grace Lloyd, Nora Ostrum, Alice Quigley, Florence Schlecht, Nellie Thomas—17.

Junior Class—Lena Bair, Max Balcom, Margaret Cummings, Leo Hayes, Edith Heilman, Edward Hughes, Myrtle Lloyd, Christina McDonald, Winnie Shearer, Daniel Welsh, George Welsh—11.

Sophomore Class—Edna Auchu, Frank Cavanaugh, Ethel Day, William Gantz, Vera Geary, Nellie Glenn, Ruby Heideck, Ida Hertig, Julia Hogan, Blanche Kline, Elizabeth Lechner, Margaret Murray, Vera Olmsted, Edna Palmer, Claude Rentz, Linn Strayer, Alicia Swain, Annie Welsh, Helen Blumle—19.

Freshman Class—Della Bingeman, Belle Cleary, Edith DeArmit, Frank Dodson, Vernon Evans, Lee Felt, Jane Glenn, Alma Hertig, Kathlyn Hogan, Bessie McQuay, Jennie Nystrom, Cathrine Orr, Marian Rentz, William Schweikart, Charlotte Spence, Nellie Swain, Anna Welsh, Mary Welsh, Margaret Munsell, Ethel Fisher—20. Total High School, 67.

Grammar School, A Class—Clifford Burkhart, Floyd Seavor, Ida Seger, Irene Ritchie; Henry Husted, Mary Farrell, Harry Keller, David Mulcahey, Marguerite Metzger, Otto Exstrom, Dorothy Nelson, Lena Ritchie, Glenn Van Wert, Jannie Robinson, Florence Cleary, Louise Seger Alice Robinson, Torrence Barner, Roy Beattie Joe Halderman, Emma Kraft, Christie McDonald, Iva McDougall, Will Munsell, Josephine Newton, Edna Pepperman, Anna Weisenfluh—27.

B Class—Roy Brady, Wayne Barner, Clair Craven, Edna Cruice, Rachael Day, Myrtle Dininy, Mark Ellis, Annie Edwards, Clyde Fisher, Emily Gaidus, Arthur Harris, Eleanor Harris, Henry Hout, Hilda Hertig, Mack Halderman Harold Healy, Marion Judd, Mary Jessop, May Kline, Katie Kraft, Louis Leitze, Ethel Lloyd, Michael May, Mildred McQuay, Earl McDougall, Jeane McNarney, Kate Metzger, May Prosser, Rose Pye, Lucian Peabody, Marcella Quinn, John Robinson, Ermine Rentz, Harold Seger, Mollie Spence, Hazel Smith, Herbert Vogt, John Welsh, Willie Welsh, Alfred Zwald, Floyd Fawcett, Daniel Geary, Nellie Schwartz, Bessie Shearer, Peter Rutz, Mildred Green, Charles Jessop, Margaret Weisenfluh, Lucetta Murray Muriel Swartz, Tom Cummings, Ralph Hout, Laura Hout, Lee Swartz—54. Total, 81.

B Intermediate, West Ward, A Class—Mary Burns, Charles Cloyes, John Ellis, John Flemming, Harold Gross, Leo Hout, Bertha Jessop, Margaret Kelly, Thomas Kline, Carl Lingle, May Mulcahy, Vina Murray, Mary Orr, Howard Pepperman, Elmer Reid, Francis Robinson, Max Spence, Ruth Saifried, Katie Vogt, Wayne Van Wert, Frank Farrell, Frank Winters, Sylvester Richie, George Smith, Rose Smith, Mary Smith, Emma Tebo.

B. Class—George Balcom, Margaret Cavey, Russell Evans, Mildred Fawcett, Helen Flemming, Eugene Goodyear, Jay Gross, Harry Hogan, Frank Hoffman, Rena Jordan, Gladys Lloyd, Melvin Logan, Minnie Morse, Kate Murray, Mary Normanly, George Rishell, Earl Specht, Henry Streich, Beatrice Taylor, Bessie Van Wert, Clara Weisenfluh, Lizzie Zwald, Stella Duling, James Flemming, Pearl Gross, Carl Hout, Clara Hout, Ada Wright, Bertha Wright, Willie Yentzer—57.

A Primary, A Class—Eva Burns, Victor Carlson, Margaret Crandell, Gracie Ensign, Belle Fountain, Flora Gross, William Howard, Olive Hilliard, Lloyd Johnston, Annie Kelly, Katie Kelly, Sammy Kline, Robert Leitze, Clark Metzger, Freddy Metzger, Mary McGrain, Donald Minard, Joseph Miller, Helen Orr, Iva Peabody, Harold Robinson, Jay Shaffer, Harry Spence, Charlie Spence, Charlie Slocum, Margaret Streich, Pompey Scott, Paul Van Wert, Dawsan Wright, Clara Zwald, Lloyd Swartz.

B Class—Regina Blinzler, Irwin Burns, Leona Kraft, Annetta Dorsey, Olive Ellis, Lawrence Goodyear, Dorothy Gross, Francis Hout, Eva Kelly, Joseph Kinsler, Florence Lingle, Budd Lloyd, Claude Manett, Eliza May, Harry Metzger, Lena Minard, Carolyn Moore, Brady Munsell, Thomas Normanly, Ruth Pearsall, Gertrude Pepperman, Addie Prosser, Leo Richie, Harry Robbinson, Myrtle Sassman, Amy Smith, Susie Smith, Mack Specht, Roy Tebo, Stella Tebo, Helen Welsh, Frank Zwald, Frank Bailey, Carl Carlson, Marshall Patterson, Walter Robinson, Cecelia Richie—68.

Second B. Primary, West Ward—Howard Bingeman, Pauline Barton, Relle Campbell, Elmer Carlson, Jessie Clark, Agnes Cleary, John Creighton, Charles Cummings, Helen Friendel, Rose Fridette, Agnes Gordon, Cathrine Hilliard, Whiteley Howard, Maay Hout, Josiah Johnson, Willie Krapf, Godfrey Letourneau, Mary Leitze, Helen Manett, William May, Margaret Melin, Dora Morse, Mark Orr, Robert Pearsall, Gertrude Reick, Vincent Richie, Walter Robinson, Matilda Scott, Mary Shadman, Charles Streich, May Swartz, Floyd Summerson, Joe Tebo, Edna Van Wert, Freda Zwald, George Zwald, Frank Shafer, Hattie Fountain, Henry Letourneau, Harry Manett, Randolph Morse, Lucy Patterson, Lill Smith, Nora Smith—44.

Left in First B Primary, West Ward—Fred Bailey, Paul Blinzler, Sadie Bossie, Chauncey Bossie, Hazel Farrel, Annie Flemming, Ruby Fountain, Earnest Fridett, Joe Gordon, Marguerite Hamilton, Ella Hout, Francis Kelly, Inez Logan, Harry McLenahan, Joe Moucell, Louie Robinson, Willie Scott, Charles Smith, Louise Smith—19.

A Intermediate, East Ward—Ellen Auchu, Martha Burns, Mary Bailey, Mabel Butler, Gordon Beattie, Elizabeth Crandell, Lena Coyle, Edna Clark, Harold Day, Burton Edwards, Harry Fountain, Mamie Farrell, Frank Housler, Warner Judd, Linford Johnson, Emma Leitze, Mabel Miller, Mabel Morrison, Pearl McGrain, Joe McNarney, Gordan Vogt, Mary Winters, Louise Welsh, Eddie Baldwin, George Barker, Lloyd Beisell, Margaret Dodson, George Fetter, Joseph Farrell, Alfretta Hackett, Cora Hackett, Carl Mumford, May McCullough, Eric Nystrom, Sophia Ruberto, Rodney Shives, Hilda Swanson, Harry Shearer, Nellie Tubridy, Margaret Ulrich, Annie Welsh, Agnes Welsh, Charles Farrell, Mildred Haupt, Frances Hacket, Frank McCaslin, Leo Nangle, Vera Spence, Thos. Bailey—49.

B Intermediate, East Ward, A Class—Loman Bogart, Frank Britton, Julia Bair, Bruce Britton, Dorotha Cool, Claude Campbell, Mabel Cummings, Neil Coppersmith, Bernie Egan, Mary Hennessey, Phoebe Hacket, Nina Hertig, Philip Klees, Edna McDonough, John Murray, Esther, Nystrom, Fred Nangle, Frank Ruberto, Allen Randolph, Ronald Reick, Florence Robinson, Minnie Shoup, Boyd Shnyder, Dorr Spencer,

B Class—Agnes Anderson, Marian Barnes, Zierda Bogart, Cecil Clark, Charles Commerford, Pearl Crosby, Ophelia Dodson, Nora Grace, Grant Husted, Harry Kraft, Willie Nelson, Anna Nystrom, Kate O'Mallay, Faye Palmer, Florence Quinn, Charles Robinson, Lillie Sugart, Mary Welsh, Clyde Thomas, Andrew Shoup, Annie Lysett, Charles Foster—46.

A Primary, East Ward, A Class—Sara Berner, Mariam Barnes, Winnie Cole, Leo Edelman, Oscar Foster, Minnie Trappier, Emmett Geary May Henry, James Lysett, Wilber McCaslin, Edwin Olson, Rosemary Quinn, Emma Randolph, Henry Schweikart, Orlo Stevens, Lena Swartz, Kathryn Welsh, Nellie Welsh, John Hertig, Carmine Ruberto, James Hennessey, John Klock, Michael Lacey, Gertrude Powell, Elva Shugart, Arda Spence, Emma Stevens, Eddie Viner.

B Class—Rolo Campbell, Carlton Clarke, Mary Dodson, Evelyn Donovan, Frank Egan, Glenn Farley, Edgar Garvin, Irene Garvin, William Grace, James Hathaway, John Hathaway, Lester Hackett, Howard Holcomb, Grace Halderman, Bessie Kackenmaster, Gordon McDonough, John McManigal, Roy McMichael, Mary Nangle Emery O'Dell, Ruth Robertsou, Joseph Ruberto Lawrence Shoup, Franci4 Walsh, Mary Costello, Girdys Krebs, John Hennessey—57.

Second B Primary—Ciella Grant, Florence Hennessey, Myrtle Klock, Sara Kraft, Virgil Krebs, Thomas Lysett, Irene McFadden, Mabel McSwan, Otho Mumford, Arold Nystrom, Edna Armstrong, Kathleen Baldwin, Florence Beck, Clyde Britton, Amelia Carpenter, Irene Cole, Katie Costello, Basil Egan, John Farley, Russell Freeman, John Glenn, Mary O'Malley, Edna Powell Lydia Prentice, Carl Proudfoot, John Ruberto, Alice Shoup, Carl Schweikart, Hazel Shearer, Ward Shearer, Francis Stevens, Charles Viner, Florence Sanford—33.

Left in First B Primary—Carl Bonham, Charles Bonham, Florence Britton, George Burnett Ellen Costello, Marie Fleet, Mabel Foster, William Ferguson, Iva Green, Anna Griffiths, Frank Hertig, Loitie Halderman, Lewi4 Jordan, Retta McFadden, Florence Nelson, Frank Pery, Grace Prentice, Charles Prime, Harrr Stumpf—19.

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Law Against Rubbering.

People who are in the habit of listening to private conversations carried on over the telephone lines and repeat the same to others are probably not aware that there is a law against so doing, says the Clinton Democrat. The following section of the law may be interesting to them:

"That in case any person, superintendent, operator or subscriber who may in any other capacity be connected with any telegraph or telephone line in this state, shall use or cause to be used, or make or cause to be made known the contents of any dispatch sent from or received at any office in the state, or in any wise unlawfully expose other's business or secrets, such a person shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall for every offense be subject to a fine of not less than $100 or imprisonment not exceeding six months or both at discretion of the court."

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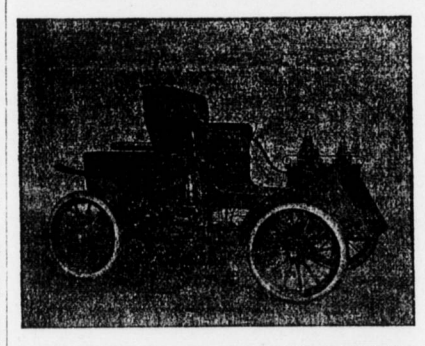

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THE CITY INCORRUPTIBLE.

Hark! 'Tis roar of labor,
A ceaseless, deafening sound,
Now from the trembling scaffolds,
Now from the yawning ground;
Not the red fires of Vulcan,
Nor Cyclops' pristine powers,
Could match their feats of magic
Who shape this world of ours!

With myriad panting engines,
With countless picks and drills,
They arch the threatening rivers,
They pierce the hostile hills;
In steam and smoke and lightning
Earth's captive forces play,
To weld with Titan touches
The city of to-day.

Still from their sunken footholds
Those cobweb buildings rise
Whose panes ray back the morning,
Whose foreheads touch the skies;
While many a crowded workshop,
And toiling mill and mine,
Yield up their costly treasures
To make them fair and fine.

Yet, void of civic honor,
Of justice, light and law,
What were the proudest structures
That e'er the round world saw?
Rome was a queenly empire,
But power and wealth and state
And fame and triumphs failed her,
With sons no longer great.

Firm stand the nation's bulwarks,
Her fortunes wax apace,
While Virture guards her hearthstones,
And Truth her market-place;
Lo. theirs are streets and temples
That dwarf the courts of kings—
A free and glorious city
Of incorporeal things!
—Dora Read Goodale, in Youth's Companion.

The KIDNAPPED MILLIONAIRES

A Tale of Wall Street and the Tropics

By FREDERICK U. ADAMS

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CHAPTER XXII.—CONTINUED.

A cheer went up when they saw that immediate danger was past. Vincent went to the rescue of "Socks," who was dripping with water and chattering with fright, but entirely subdued.

"You are a mascot, all right, 'Socks,' old boy!" said Vincent, as he loosened the chain so that the monkey would not choke to death. "This beats climbing trees, doesn't it?"

Mr. Carmody and the others made an examination of the hull of the boat. The strain had caused a slight leak in the third compartment, but they had no difficulty in stopping it. The kitchen was somewhat disarranged and a number of dishes broken, but the damage was not serious. "The Jumping Jupiter" had successfully withstood its baptism and thus far had justified the hopes of the builders.

For half an hour Sidney held his course straight out to sea. Then he headed to the north. The big lateen sails were pulling splendidly, and though the craft responded slowly to the tiller, there was no trouble in holding her to the course. They now had a clear view of the coast.

"Where is the gateway?" asked Mr. Carmody, who had been looking intently along the shore for some time. "I cannot see it."

"I can see it," replied Sidney, "but I would never suspect it was an inlet unless I knew it to be a fact. From any point at sea the rocks look solid and continuous. The gateway is just south of our flagstaff. Do you see it now?"

It was as Sidney said. The coast was so formed that no inlet showed. Half a mile from shore there was nothing to distinguish the entrance to the bay from a score of ragged indentations in the black cliffs. As they proceeded they came to the ridge of rocks which formed the north horn of the crescent. This they imagined to mark the north boundary of the island, but as they neared it they found it was but the south end of a bay which seemed to be 12 or 15 miles across.

"This is a pretty good-sized island, Hammond," remarked Mr. Kent, as this new panorama spread out before their view.

There was a puzzled expression on Sidney's face. As Mr. Kent spoke, the massive outlines of the snow-white peak, which had been seen from the island, slowly came into view above the hills along the coast. The land now opposite them was low and fairly flat. The big rock on their port side was seen to be the end of a spur of small mountains which came down to the ocean.

"I do not understand it," said Sidney. "There is no such island as this on any of our maps? Where can we be? This island is at least 40 miles long and perhaps longer. That must be the northern end of it."

Sidney pointed to the cape perhaps 15 miles away. It was now two o'clock in the afternoon, and Mr. Rockwell and Vincent announced that dinner was ready. They stretched an awning over the afterdeck and set a table beneath it. Sidney lashed the tiller in position and all proceeded to enjoy the repast. A haze was stealing over the ocean and the wind dying out. For a time "The Jumping Jupiter" had been making four or five miles an hour, but the breeze, as it came heavy with perfume from the shore died down until it was barely strong enough to straighten out the striped sails.

"Well, Capt. Hammond, what do you think of it?" asked Mr. Morton as he lit a cigar and leaned back in his chair.

"There is but one thing to do," said Sidney. "We must keep on this course until we round that cape. At this rate it will be dark before we make it. We will stand well out to sea, so as to have plenty of leeway in case of an east or northeast wind."

The big mountain peak was now almost exactly to the west of them.

"If that is old Popocatepetl, as I think it is," said Sidney, pointing at the huge purple mass, "Vera Cruz

"I DO NOT UNDERSTAND IT," SAID SIDNEY.

is only a little northwest of here. When it gets dark I will hold her north, and take no chances of running ashore on this island."

As the afternoon wore away, the haze settled and slowly blotted out the shore line. They crawled along at hardly two knots an hour. It was exasperating progress, but there was no help for it. In the evening the haze lifted and showed the cape still in the northwest. This proved that the tide was pulling against them. The wind died away to a breath, and the sun sank, a huge red ball of fire in a bank of orange clouds. At ten o'clock the wind swung into the southeast and freshened, but the haze yet hung over the sea, and Sidney held his course to the north.

All but Sidney and Mr. Kent retired to the bunks and slept soundly as if on an ocean liner. Save for the bank of fog, it was a perfect night on the water. The raft swayed gently to the deep breathing of the sea, and the masts groaned in musical cadence to the rippling of the water. At midnight Mr Kent took the tiller, and Sidney stretched himself on a steamer chair and enjoyed two hours of untroubled slumber. He awoke and relieved Mr. Kent, who then took his nap.

Twice during the night Sidney turned the boat to the west, and held that course until the hollow thunder of the surf warned him to stand out. At about three o'clock the breeze quickened, and a 20-mile breeze sprang up, coming straight from the west. This compelled him to cease any more landward experiments, and "The Jumping Jupiter" rolled along at a five-mile-an-hour rate.

"It is satisfaction to know that we are going somewhere," said Sidney to himself. "We must be past the cape by this time. If the fog lifts with this breeze, daylight will show where we are."

As he spoke there was a faint glow in the eastern sky. Mr. Kent awoke with a yawn.

"Where are we at?" he asked.

Sidney shook his head.

"We are headed north," he said.

CHAPTER XXIII.

THE RESCUE.

Representatives of the New York Record watched every European port for the arrival of Walter B. Hestor and the steam yacht "Shark." According to all calculations, the yacht was due at the Azores not later than May 12th, but no word came from these islands. Day succeeded day with no news of the famous millionaire correspondent.

In the meantime the detective staff of 40 picked newspaper men under Jack Stevens was indomitable in zeal but barren in results. Mr. Chalmers was steadily losing faith, but by no word or action did he disclose his loss of confidence to Miss Carmody. He prepared the leader for an article to be published in The Record on Wednesday, May 17th, in which was set forth the discoveries which had been made pointing to Hestor as the prime mover in the conspiracy. This was in keeping with his promise to Miss Carmody. In the meantime Editor Van Horne had sailed for New York, but was not due until the 22d or 23d of the month. In a cipher cablegram Chalmers had given his superior the essential facts concerning Hestor. The reply of Robert Van Horne was prompt and decisive in instructing Chalmers to make public the facts. The inference was plain that Mr. Van Horne had no hesitancy in sharing his managing editor's suspicions. Mr. Chalmers therefore prepared a four-page article, and awaited for the day fixed for the disclosure.

Miss Carmody ordered the steam yacht bearing her name put in commission, and her captain announced that he was ready to weigh anchor on an hour's notice.

At three o'clock Tuesday afternoon a cablegram was handed to Mr. Chalmers. It was in the cipher which had been given to the reporters working on the mystery. Translated it read as follows:

"Havana, Cuba, Tuesday, May 16. To William Chalmers, New York Record: Have solved mystery. Col. John McIntyre, of Havana, built Hestor bungalow year ago. Hestor designed it. Located nine hundred miles southwest of Havana. McIntyre will act as guide. McIntyre is in Havana with me. I saw the 'Shark' Sunday in Gulf. Wire instructions to Hotel Pasaje. Also wire $500. Claim special reward of $50,000.

"BERNARD SEYMOUR,
"Envoy Extraordinary."

Chalmers dashed into Jack Stevens' room with the cablegram.

"Can we rely on that?" asked Mr. Chalmers. "Seymour was deceived once. He may be wrong again. What do you think?"

"I think he has found our man!" said Stevens without a moment's hesitation. "That cable sounds like business. It explains Seymour's silence. He is the luckiest reporter in the country. I would stake my life he is right."

"We will take the chance," said Chalmers. "Do not say a word. We will leave for Havana to-night. Be ready to start at seven o'clock. You will go by rail."

Chalmers issued a few instructions to his assistant and hurriedly explained what had happened. A few minutes later he was on his way to the Carmody mansion, having first ascertained that Miss Helen was at home. In a few words he explained what had happened. The young heiress was radiant with joy.

"I knew you would find them!" she exclaimed. "From the moment you said we could not fail, I was sure of success! Oh, isn't it splendid! I could cry for joy!"

"This is no time to cry," said the practical Mr. Chalmers. "We must start for Havana at once. How soon can you be ready?"

"I can be ready in an hour," said Miss Carmody. "Mrs. White is here. She is going with me. Can you go, Mr. Chalmers?"

"Certainly I can go," said that gentleman. "You did not intend to leave me behind, did you?"

"Why of course not," said Miss Carmody, "but I am so excited I do not know what I am saying. Will Mr Stevens go with us?"

"He will go by rail and boat, and we will meet him in Havana," said Chalmers. "You had better send word to your captain at once. Tell him I will be on the yacht by seven o'clock. Please warn him to keep the destination a secret. Do not forget to take along lots of wraps; it may be cold on the ocean."

Chalmers returned to his office, and for an hour was busy with instructions to his assistants. He issued orders that The Record should give no hints of pending developments, and selected a special cipher to cover new possibilities. He then proceeded to the pier and boarded the yacht. Miss Carmody and Mrs. Isabel White had arrived, and the latter was in a flutter of excitement. The yacht swung on her keel and headed down the East River and out into the bay. Before twilight had faded, the "Helen Carmody" was well out to sea and making for Havana with a "bone in her teeth."

The "Helen Carmody" was a fine specimen of marine architecture. She was fitted with every convenience and luxury. She was larger than the "Shark," having more staterooms and more powerful engines. While more comfortable and stauncher, she was not so fast as the "Shark." Mr. Carmody had sacrificed speed for room and artistic effect, yet there were few yachts that could show a wake to the "Helen Carmody."

It was late Saturday afternoon when the frowning heights of Morro castle were seen across the waters, and it was nearly midnight when they dropped anchor in the harbor of Havana. It was decided to remain on the yacht until morning, so the "Helen Carmody" lay within easy distance of the shore.

Sunday morning a yawl put out from the Havana docks. It had as passenger a small man with a "sandy" moustache, and hair which could be classed under no other color than red. He sat straight and looked dignified. He wore a natty suit of gray, with a large carnation in the lapel of his coat. This was an important event in the life of Mr. Bernard Seymour, but he felt equal to the occasion. There was a subdued twinkle in his blue eyes, which no assumption of dignity could entirely offset. He critically watched the perspiring Cuban at the oars. Then he looked at the "Helen Carmody."

The yawl came alongside the brass-railed gangway.

Capt. Baldwin, of the "Helen Carmody" stood at the head of the gangway. Mr. Bernard Seymour saluted him with an impressive gesture.

"Good morning, Captain!"

Capt. Baldwin bowed but said nothing.

"I am Bernard Seymour; special commissioner of The Record," said Mr. Seymour. "Present my card and my compliments to Miss Carmody and Mr. Chalmers."

"Come aboard, Mr Seymour," said Capt. Baldwin. "I am glad to meet you."

"Ah, is this Seymour?" said Mr. Chalmers, who now appeared. "Glad to meet you, old man. Accept my congratulations. I hope you are not mistaken in your man."

"I never make but one mistake on the same case," said Seymour, shaking hands cordially with the managing editor. "When can I pay my respects to Miss Carmody?"

"Here she comes now," said Chalmers. Miss Carmody came forward radiant in a yachting costume of white broadcloth, trimmed with gold braid.

"I have the pleasure of presenting Mr. Bernard Seymour," said Mr. Chalmers.

"I am delighted to meet you, Mr. Seymour," said Miss Helen as she extended her hand. "I have heard so much of you it seems as if I knew you. I am glad to welcome you aboard the yacht."

Mr Bernard Seymour bowed profoundly. He had framed a speech, but it had eluded him. He felt that he must say something.

"You can't lose me. I am glad to meet you, Miss Carmody. The pleasure is all mine."

There was a twinkle in his eye which was irresistible, and Miss Carmody laughed until the color came to her cheeks, and she looked more charming than ever. She took Mr. Seymour in charge, and induced him to tell the story of how he came to solve the mystery of the Hestor bungalow. Mr. Chalmers listened to Mr. Seymour's carefully prepared narrative.

"When I received Mr. Chalmer's telegraphic advices," said Mr. Seymour, "I made up my mind that the first place to search was along the lumber docks. I thought it all over, and said to myself, it is like this: If Hestor has built a house in tropical America the lumber probably came from New Orleans, which is the great lumber market of the south. The contractor might hail from any place, but naturally he would ship his material from New Orleans. It was nearly dark when I arrived in the city. I went to the hotel, looked at my mail, and went from there to the docks. I questioned stevedores, dock-wallopers, sailors and levee men of all descriptions. I went finally to a resort frequented by such men. There were probably 50 of them in the room. I picked out a smooth-looking colored boy and told him I would give him $5 if he would ask every man present if he ever helped load lumber for a man named Walter B. Hestor. I told him all about Hestor; that he was a newspaper man who owned a yacht called the 'Shark,' and that he was eccentric, and liberal with his money.

"He was a bright coon," said the veracious Mr. Seymour, "and he wanted to earn that money in a hurry. He got on top of a beer keg and made a speech. Once in a while he would misstate a point, and I would correct him. When he was through a darkey, with a face as black as the ace of spades came forward and asked me how much I would give to know what boat that lumber was shipped on. I did not want to appear too anxious, so I offered him $2. We went to one side, and he told me that about a year ago a man arrived in New Orleans with a yacht called the 'Shark,' and that the owner superintended the loading of a lot of lumber, doors, windows and stuff on a schooner called the 'Sam Walker.' He described Hestor to a dot. He said Hestor's chief amusement was to throw money to the negroes along the levee to induce them to sing and dance. He would stand on the 'Sam Walker' and throw coins by the hour, until the levee was black with darkies. I knew he had the right man. I gave him the $2 and promised him $10 more if he would locate the 'Sam Walker' for me. At about midnight we found that the schooner was at Lake Pontchartrain, and was going to sail the next morning. I paid my colored friend and started for the 'West End.' I found the 'Sam Walker.' I wanted to get the information without exciting suspicion. I learned that the first mate was ashore in some of the drinking resorts of the place. Then I ran across a friend of mine who was much intoxicated. I used him as a tool. Early in the morning I found the first mate. From him I learned that the schooner was going to Havana. He was pretty full, and I bribed him to let me go aboard the schooner. There was no way to shake my friend, whose name is Bender, so we took him along.

[To Be Continued.]

The Wurst Yet.

"Is this the best wurst you can send me?" asked the lady who walked into the meat store with a package of that edible in her hand.

"Madam," answered the man, "it is the best wurst we have."

"Well, it is the worst wurst I ever saw."

"I am sorry to hear that. The best I can do is to try and send you some better wurst from to-day's lot, but as I said, that was the best wurst we have at present. I am sure, however, that the wurst we are now making will not be any worse than this and it ought to be better. I assure you that as soon as I get the wurst you shall have the best of it. We never gave anyone the worst of it so long as we have been in the wurst business and you may be sure when we give you the wurst it will be the best, for our worst wurst is better wurst that the best wurst of our competitors."

But the lady, whose eyes had taken on a stare of glassiness, was seen to throw up her hands and flee from the place, for she was afraid the worst was yet to come.—Baltimore American.

A Kansas Mining Story.

Down in the Joplin mining district once a traveling man was rampsing around in the suburbs of the town at two o'clock in the morning. The country down there is as full of prospect holes as the top of a pepper-box. Some of them are 300 feet deep. As a natural consequence the traveling man stepped into one of those holes. He fell ten or twelve feet, and then striking a cross timber clutched it and saved himself from what appeared to be a terrible death. All night long he clung to that cross timber, yelling himself hoarse for aid. When day broke he was still hanging there exhausted, disheveled, and pitiable. When the sun came up it cheered him a little, and, gradually, as hope came back, he summoned courage to look into the yawning abyss beneath him. Nerving himself for the supreme test he glanced downward, and found that his feet were swinging within four inches of the bottom of the hole. The prospectors had abandoned it at a depth of 15 feet.—Topeka Capital.

Pennsylvania RAILROAD.

PHILADELPHIA AND ERIE RAILROAD DIVISION.

In effect May 25, 1902.

TRAINS LEAVE EMPORIUM EASTWARD

8 15 A. M.—Week days for Sunbury, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Hazleton, Pottsville, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6.23 P. M., New York 9.30 P. M., Baltimore 00 P. M., Washington 7.15 P. M. Pullman Parlor car from Williamsport to Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Kane to Philadelphia and Williamsport to Baltimore and Washington.

12:25 P. M. (Emporium Junction) daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and principal intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia, 7:32 p. m.; New York, 10:23 p. m.; Baltimore, 7:30 p. m.; Washington, 8:35, p. m. Vestibuled Parlor cars and passenger coaches, Buffalo to Philadelphia and Washington.

3 20 P. M.—daily for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia, 4.25 A. M., New York 7.13 A. M., Baltimore, 2:30 A. M. Washington, 4:05 A. M. Pullman sleeping cars from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7:30 A. M.

O 25 P. M.—Daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 7.22 A. M., New York 9.33 A. M., weekdays, (10.33 A. M. Sunday;) Baltimore 7.15 A. M., Washington 8.30 A. M. Pullman sleeping cars from Erie, Buffalo and Williamsport to Philadelphia and Buffalo, Williamsport to Washington. Passenger cars from Erie to Philadelphia and Williamsport to Baltimore.

12:01 A. M. (Emporium Junction), daily for Sunbury, Harrisburg and principal intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia, 7:22 a. m.; New York, 9:33 a. m., week days; (10:33 Sundays); Baltimore, 7:15 a. m.; Washington, 8:30 a. m. Vestibuled Buffet Sleeping Cars and Passenger coaches, Buffalo to Philadelphia and Washington.

WESTWARD.

5:10 A. M.—Emporium Junction—daily for Erie, Ridgway, and week days for DuBois, Clermont and intermediate stations.

10 30 A. M.—Daily for Erie and week days for DuBois and intermediate stations.

6 23 P. M.—Week days for Kane and intermediate stations.

RIDGWAY AND CLEARFIELD R. R. CONNECTIONS.
(Week days.)

SOUTHWARD.			Stations.	NORTHWARD		
P. M.	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
.....	9 00	4 00	....Renovo....	.....	5 00	11 45
.....	9 50	4 38	...Driftwood...	.....	4 00	11 05
.....	10 25	5 10	Emporium Junc	.....	3 23	10 30
.....	11 13	5 53	....St. Marys...	.....	2 41	9 45
3 25	11 15	6 00	.....Kane.....	12 25	3 05	8 25
3 43	11 33	6 22	....Wilcox....	12 05	2 45	8 04
3 56	11 48	6 36	..Johnsonburg..	9 55	2 33	7 49
.....	.....	.....		.....	.....	
4 10	12 10	7 00	...Ridgway,....	9 35	2 15	7 30
.....	.....	.....		.....	.....	.....
4 20	12 20	7 10	..Mill Haven...	9 25	2 04	7 20
4 30	12 30	7 21	..Croyland....	9 15	1 54	7 09
4 34	12 33	7 25	..Shorts Mills..	9 11	1 51	7 05
4 37	12 36	7 28	...Blue Rock..	9 07	1 47	7 01
4 41	12 40	7 33	.....Carrier....	9 02	1 43	6 57
4 51	12 50	7 43	.Brockwayville.	8 53	1 33	6 47
4 54	12 54	7 47	...Lanes Mills..	8 47	1 28	6 43
		7 51	.McMinns Sm't.	8 43		
5 02	1 03	7 54	..Harveys Run..	8 39	1 19	6 35
5 10	1 10	8 00	..Falls Creek...	8 35	1 15	6 30
5 25	1 25	8 15	....DuBois....	8 25	1 05	6 10
5 10	1 20	8 10	..Falls Creek...	6 58	1 13	6 30
5 27	1 32	8 23	.Reynoldsville..	6 44	12 52	6 15
6 00	1 59	8 50	...Brookville..	6 10	12 24	5 39
6 45	2 38	9 30	New Bethlehem		11 47	4 50
7 25	3 20	10 10	...Red Bank....	.....	11 10	4 05
9 45	5 30	12 35	....Pittsburg...	.....	9 00	1 30
P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.

BUFFALO & ALLEGHENY VALLEY DIVISION.

Leave Emporium Junction for Port Allegany, Olean, Arcade, East Aurora and Buffalo.

Train No. 107, daily, ... 4:05 A. M.
Train No. 115, daily, ... 4:15 P. M.

Trains leave Emporium for Keating, Port Allegany, Coudersport, Smethport, Eldred, Bradford, Olean and Buffalo, connecting at Buffalo for points East and West.

Train No. 101, week days, ... 8:25 A. M.
Train No. 103, week days ..... 1:45 P. M.

Train No. 103 will connect at Olean with Chautauqua Division for Allegany, Bradford, Salamanca Warren, Oil City and Pittsburg.

LOW GRADE DIVISION.

EASTBOUND.

STATIONS.	109	113	101	105	107	901
	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M	P. M	A. M.
Pittsburg,..Lv.	.....	†6 15	†9 00	†130	*505	‡ 9 00
Red Bank,.....	.....	9 28	11 10	4 05	7 55	11 10
Lawsonham,...	.....	9 40	‡1122	4 18	8 07	11 23
New Bethle'm.	.....	10 13	11 47	4 50	8 37	11 55
Brookville,....	†6 10	11 00	12 24	5 39	9 22	12 41
Reynoldsville,.	6 44	11 32	12 52	6 15	9 50	1 14
Falls Creek....	6 58	11 48	1 13	6 30	1005	1 29
DuBois,.....	7 05	†11 55	1 25	6 40	1010	‡ 1 35
Sabula,.....	7 17	.....	1 37	6 52	*	
Pennfield,.....	7 35	.....	1 55	7 10	Note.	
Bennezette,....	8 09	.....	2 29	7 44		
Driftwood,....	†8 45	.....	†3 05	†820		
via P. & E. Div						
Driftwood.. Lv.	†9 44	.....	†3 45			
Emporium, Ar.	†10 25	.....	†4 10			
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M	P. M	P. M.

WESTBOUND.

STATIONS.	108	106	102	114	110	942
Via P. & E. Div	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Emporium, Lv.	.....	.....	†8 15	.....	†3 20	.....
Driftwood, Ar..	.....	.....	†9 00	.....	†4 00	.....
Via L. G. Div	.....			.....		.....
Driftwood, Lv.	.....	†6 15	†1120	.....	†5 50	.....
Bennezette,....	.....	6 50	11 55	.....	6 26	.....
Pennfield,.....	.....	7 25	12 30	.....	7 00	.....
Sabula,.....	.....	7 44	12 49	.....	7 18	.....
DuBois,.....	*6 20	8 00	1 05	†5 05	7 35	†4 10
Falls Creek,....	6 27	8 10	1 20	5 12	7 42	4 17
Reynoldsville,..	6 44	8 23	1 32	5 27	7 58	4 30
Brookville....	7 15	8 50	1 59	6 00	†8 30	5 00
New Bethle'm.	8 01	9 30	2 38	6 45	.....	5 45
Lawsonham,..	8 31	9 57	†3 06	7 14	.....	6 18
Red Bank,Ar..	8 45	10 10	3 20	7 25	.....	6 30
Pittsburg, Ar...	*11 15	†1235	†5 30	†9 45	.....	‡9 30
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. MS

Note—Train 107 on Sundays will make all stop. between Red Bank and DuBois.
*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only. ‡Flag Stop.

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TIME TABLE No. 27.

COUDERSPORT & PORT ALLEGANY R. R

Taking effect May 27th, 1901.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	10	8	4	6	2
	P. M.	.....	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Port Allegany,.. Lv.	3 15	.....	7 05	.....	11 36
Coleman,.....	*3 23	.....	○○	.....	*11 41
Burtville,.....	*3 30	.....	7 16	.....	11 47
Roulette,.....	3 40	.....	7 25	.....	11 55
Knowlton's,.....	*3 45	.....	○○	.....	*11 59
Mina,.....	3 59	.....	7 35	.....	12 05
Olmsted,.....	*4 05	.....	*7 38	.....	*12 09
Hammonds,.....	○○	.....	○○	.....	*12 13
Coudersport. { Ar.	4 20	A. M.	7 45	.....	12 15
Coudersport. { Lv.		6 10		6 00	1 00
North Coudersport,	.....	*6 15	.....	○○	*1 05
Frink's,.....	.....	6 25	.....	*6 10	*1 12
Colesburg,.....	.....	*6 40	.....	*6 17	1 20
Seven Bridges,.....	.....	*6 45	.....	*6 21	*1 24
Raymonds's,.....	.....	*7 00	.....	*6 30	1 35
Gold,.....	.....	7 05	.....	6 36	1 41
Newfield,.....	.....	○○	.....		1 45
Newfield Junction,..	.....	7 37	.....	6 45	1 50
Perkins,.....	.....	*7 40	.....	*6 48	*1 53
Carpenter's,.....	.....	7 46	.....	○○	*1 57
Crowell's,.....	.....	7 50	.....	*6 53	*2 01
Ulysses,..... Ar.	.....	8 05	.....	7 05	2 10
	.....	A. M.	.....		P. M.

WESTWARD.

STATIONS.	1	5	3	
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	.....
Ulysses,.....Lv.	7 20	2 25	9 10	.....
Crowell's,.....	*7 27	*2 32	* 9 19	.....
Carpenter's,.....	○○	*2 34	* 9 22	.....
Perkins,.....	*7 32	*2 37	* 9 26	.....
Newfield Junction,.....	7 37	2 42	9 32	.....
Newfield,.....	*7 41	2*46	○○	.....
Gold,.....	7 44	2 49	9 40	.....
Raymond's.....	*7 49	2 54	* 9 47	.....
Seven Bridges,.....	*8 01	*3 03	*10 02	.....
Colesburg,.....	*8 04	3 09	*10 10	.....
Frink's,.....	*8 12	*3 17	*10 20	.....
North Coudersport,.....	○○	*3 26	*10 35	.....
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Olmsted,.....	*8 33	*6 05	*1 31	.....
Mina,.....	8 37	6 10	1 37	.....
Knowlton's,.....	○○	*6 17	○○	.....
Rc ilette,.....	8 47	6 21	1 51	.....
Burtville,.....	8 54	6 28	2 01	.....
Coleman,.....	○○	*6 34	○○	.....
Port Allegany,.....	9 08	6 40	2 25	.....

(*) Flag stations. (○○) Trains do not stop
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Trains run on Eastern Standard Time.

Connections—At Ulysses with Fall Brook R'y for points north and south, At B. & S. Junction with Buffalo & Susquehanna R. R. north for Wellsville, south for Galeton and Ansonia. At Port Allegany with W. N. Y. & P. R. R., north for Buffalo, Olean, Bradford and Smethport; south for Keating Summit, Austin, Emporium and Penn'a R. R., points.

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READ DOWN.

	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	.....
Lv K'ting Smt...	.....	12 40	7 30	9 10	.....
.....Austin.....	6 35	1 05	8 00	9 50	.....
....Costello.....	6 44	1 14	.....	.....	.....
...Wharton.....	6 56	1 26	.....	3 10	.....
Cross Fork Jct.	7 39	2 09	.....	4 23	.....
....Corbett.....	8 06	2 36	.....	5 15	.....
Germania,.....	.....	2 47	.....	5 15	.....
Ar. Galeton,..	.....	.....	.....	5 25	.....
Lv. Galeton,..	8 23	2 53	.....	5 35	.....
.....Gaines Jct.	8 36	3 06	.....	.....	.....
...Westfield....	9 13	3 43	.....	.....	.....
.. Knoxville....	9 26	3 56	.....	.....	.....
....Osceola.....	9 36	4 06	.....	.....	.....
....Elkland.....	9 41	4 11	.....	.....	.....
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....Costello,.....	.....	6 34	.....	11 49	.....	8 36
...Wharton,.....	.....	6 24	8 04	11 39	.....	8 24
Cross Fork J'ct,	.....	5 40	7 25	10 58	.....	7 40
....Corbett,.....	.....	5 15	6 44	10 34	.....	7 15
...Germania,.....	.....	5 07	6 31	10 26	.....	7 07
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....Osceola,.....	5 46	.....	11 46	7 51	.....	5 46
....Elkland,.....	5 41	.....	11 41	7 46	.....	5 41
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	9 11		..	Manhatten...	9 54	8 35	.....
	9 07		..	South Gaines,.	9 57	8 39	.....
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8 15	1 40	ar	Wharton lv	3 00	9 55

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SHALL THE HOME MAKER BE PAID?

By ZONA VALLANCE,
English Lecturer on Ethical Topics now in this Country.

No service rendered to society is greater than that of the mother who rears good healthy children. The services of the housewife are also of use to the community, providing, as they do, for the health and comfort of the wage-earner.

To the one who renders them these services have no financial value. The toil of any workingman's wife is reasonably worth five dollars per week, besides her board and lodging; but she does not get it. The amount of money handed over to her depends, not on her ability or industry, but on the money-making capacity and the disposition of her husband.

We may say that she finds her reward in the happiness and affection of her family; but no other worker does his daily tasks for such remuneration. In other departments of labor the incentive to rise rests on the fact that there is money in rising. Only in home-making and the rearing of children is this requital lacking.

In London women sanitary inspectors visit the tenement districts, keeping an eye on the landlords and inciting the mothers to better housekeeping. They teach the bad effects of filth and disorder and the proper feeding and care of children. Why should not the state go a step further and to the housewife who attains a required standard make a certain annual payment? Though necessarily small, this income would add to the wife's dignity.

A great deal of sentiment is woven around the home, but practically man, especially when uneducated, despises woman's work because it commands no money. It isn't a bit more important to drive a cart than to wash dishes, but cart driving compels respect because it receives a wage.

Under the system suggested, the state would say: "Your work as home-maker, well done, is of more importance to society than any service you can render as a wage-earner. Provided you reach a required standard, the public will make up to you the loss of your wages.

If society does not thus acknowledge the home-maker's services, there is no way in which she can gain recognition. The wage-earner can change employers, hunt a better market, change its trade. From such opportunities the home-maker is cut off. If she, too, becomes a wage-earner, her long hours of daily toil are destructive of home-making.

THE REAL JUDAISM

By JOSEPH SILVERMAN,
Rabbi Temple Emanuel, New York City.

THE season of the Passover is of particular significance to the Jews. It is the opening of the spring season that heralds the end of winter and the resurrection of nature from its deathlike sleep. The trees, the bushes, the very grass, are exhaling the new stimulus of nature and ready to go forth into new life.

Judaism celebrates its festival of freedom in commemoration of the time when Israel wrested its freedom and liberty from the hands of a cruel taskmaster and stepped into the world's arena as a nation, ready to battle for truth and righteousness.

"Arise and give light, for the Light has come and the glory of the Lord is revealed upon thee." Be a Jew in deed, as well as name, in fact, as well as theory. This is the lesson it teaches.

But what constitutes real Judaism?

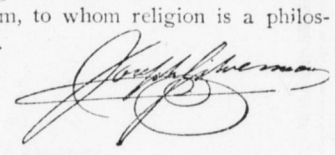
If you are an American citizen, you must stand for the flag and the constitution. If you are a citizen, do your duty in peace, as well as in war.

If you are of the house of Israel, then you should be proud of Israel's honor and glory, its power and influence, and contribute to its increase of dignity and prestige.

He is not a Jew worthy of the name who merely says that his parents were of the house of Israel. He is not a Jew whose only manifestation of Judaism is a mere belief and participation in Jewish social life. Nor is he a Jew who only evidences it by contribution to a Jewish charity or congregation.

But he is a Jew who feels within himself the truths of Israel's doctrines, who realizes that they are living truths, and for the best interest of the individual and humanity.

He is a Jew who honors his religion in the home and in the temple, as well as in the world about him, to whom religion is a philosophy of the universe and a law of life.



NEW USES FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOL

By JACOB A. CANTER,
President Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

I believe that we in New York are just beginning to find out the uses of our public schools.

In the past we have made them gloomy temples to the three R's, closed except during hours in which were imprisoned the reluctant worshipers. To-day we are building more cheerful shrines, always open for the cultivation of the three H's, head, heart and hand.

We have discovered that play is educational, and so we are building schoolhouses with roof gardens which are open out of school hours and throughout the summer; play centers where children may romp free from the dangers of the street, and where in the evening mothers and fathers may listen to good music.

We have discovered that the large interior space of schoolhouses is capable of much more varied service than it has afforded, and so in the evening we are opening the empty classrooms to boys' clubs that a few years ago found shelter in the saloons.

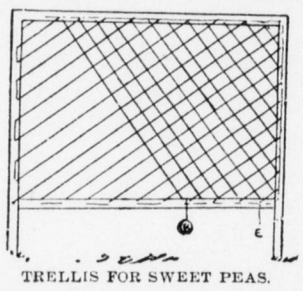
We have discovered, too, that the public school belongs to the neighborhood, and that in it grown people as well as children have rights; so we are building schoolhouses with basement assembly halls for the convenience of evening lectures and other entertainments.

We are beginning to make of the schools genuine neighborhood centers for the use of the people day and night the year round, for the idea at last has come to us that the school belongs to the public. I believe that we are on the right track, for it is through the public school that we must maintain, if we are to last, the old-time democracy of the American people.

SWEET PEA TRELLIS.

Vines Never Burn on This During Heated Term as They Are Sure to Do on a Wire One.

The diagram shows the construction of the best and cheapest trellis we have ever used for sweet peas. The posts are of two by four inch stuff, each eight feet long, set two feet in the ground, and 16 feet apart. Narrow boards, one by two inches, are nailed to the top and bottom of the posts after setting. Small wire nails are driven part way in six inches apart the entire length of the boards. The work is easier done if the nails are driven in before nailing the boards to the posts. Let the nails in the top strip slant upward, and those in the bottom one slant downward, to prevent



TRELLIS FOR SWEET PEAS.

the slipping of the netting from the nails. Nail the top strip on first, measure down on the post, driving in nails every six inches, and then nail on the bottom strip. Have a ball of gardener's bunching twine (cost five cents), tie the end of the twine to the nail at the left upper corner, cross diagonally to B, wind the twine once around the nail and go to C, then to D, etc. Draw the twine snug, and always wind once around each nail. Fill the entire frame, ending at E. Tie the twine very securely and break off. This is the warp.

For the filling, tie the end of the twine to the nail marked F, cross to G, then to H, then to I, etc. Weave the filling into the warp by passing the ball alternately over and under the threads of the warp. Peas do better on a trellis of this kind than on brush or wire netting. We have no difficulty in coaxing them to climb to the top or beyond. The vines never burn on this trellis as they will on a wire one during the heated term. When the frost puts them out of business, cut the strings loose at the four corners of the frame, pull the vines, and the entire mass of vines and twine can be slipped off the frame in two minutes and carried away to be burned on the rubbish heap. Anyone who has tried to clear the old vines from wire netting will appreciate this easier way of disposing of them.—Rural New Yorker.

IMPROVE THE HERD.

Some Hints for Dairymen Which, If Followed, Will Lead to Fortune and Reputation.

Every cow's milk should be weighed night and morning and a record kept of the same. Get a spring balance that weighs 30 pounds; set back the dial the weight of the milk pail; make a blackboard at the barn ruled to accommodate a week's milk record. The milker then has only to hang his milk pail on the scales and record the result on the board—not two seconds of extra work. Each week remove the record to your dairy account book. You will be surprised how the cows will vary from your estimate of them. At the end of the year many a cow that required two pails to hold her milk when flush will be found behind her more modest sister who kept everlastingly at it. Now you can begin to cull.

Discard every cow that goes dry on her own notion. While every cow should be dry six or eight weeks previous to calving, she should be forced dry; she ought to be giving at least 16 pounds per day when you start in to dry her up. Discard the cow with short teats; she takes too much time to milk; likewise the cow with a dainty appetite. The profitable dairy cow should eat everything in sight. Every year select the two most promising heifers to bring up to take the place of the two poorest cows. Sires may be bred to their own daughters, but not to their granddaughters. A change of sire is necessary at this time. Get the very best you can buy. Remember he is half the herd, and if he is only common your herd will go backward instead of forward. Never breed to anything but a thoroughbred sire and, above all, don't cross breed.—J. W. Helme, in Farm and Home.

Grading Up the Dairy Herd.

True dairy expansion involves the grading up of a herd not only by selection, but also by breeding. There is no question among intelligent stock breeders but that animals which have been bred and selected for years, and even centuries, along dairy lines are much better adapted to the economical production of dairy products than cows of no particular breeding. With all the feed and care that could be given a herd of common cows has averaged only 270 pounds of butter per annum. Herds of pure-blood and high-grade dairy animals are averaging as high as 350 to 400 pounds of butter. It is possible by securing well-bred males and by selection to grade up a herd of common cows to excellent producers in a comparatively short time.

"PE-RU-NA SAVED MY LIFE,"

Writes Mrs. W. McRoberts.

Women Made Strong and Happy Mothers.

Catarrh of the Pelvic Organs is a Frequent Cause of Barrenness.

Pe-ru-na Eradicates Catarrh From the System.

TO the woman of ancient Israel not to become a mother was regarded as the greatest of earthly calamities. To become a mother—more especially the mother of a strong, healthy boy—was the height of glory for the faithful woman of the good old Bible days. Even now, when maternity is not esteemed as of yore, the mother of healthy children is an object of admiration, and sometimes envy, by her neighbors. As compared with ancient peoples, the average American woman has a low appreciation of motherhood. There are, however, a great many exceptions to this statement.

The accompanying letters from grateful women who have been made strong, healthy and happy mothers need no added words of ours to make them convincing. Catarrh had weakened and impaired their entire systems. Peruna made them sound and well.

Mrs. L. M. Griffith, Arco, Idaho, writes:

"Your medicine did me a wonderful amount of good. It cured me of barrenness. I am 30 years old and never had any children; but since beginning your medicine I gave birth to a 10-pound baby girl. She is now six months old and weighs 25 pounds. My friends were all surprised. Some would not believe it until they came to see me.

"My husband says he never saw such a change in any one as there was in me after I had taken three or four bottles of Peruna. I am stronger than I have been since I was quite young. God bless you and your medicine forever. I can not tell you all. My letter is too long already; but I will say Peruna cured me. I never saw or heard of anything half so good. I can never thank you enough for your kindness. In cases of la grippe it works like a charm. It cured my baby when other medicines failed. She was real bad with la grippe."—Mrs. L. M. Griffith.

Mrs. E. E. Thomas, Alpha, Mo., writes:

"I have used your Peruna and Manalin. I had been doctoring for several years, but kept getting worse. One day a neighbor woman brought me your book, the "Ills of Life," and wanted me to take your medicine. I told her that I had given up all hope of ever getting well. I had tried so much medicine. My neighbors thought I was nearly dead with consumption.

"Finally I concluded that I would make a last trial. So my husband got me a bottle of Peruna and Manalin. I commenced taking them according to directions. That was two years ago. A year ago last November I gave birth to a 10-pound baby boy, who is well and hearty; and I am doing my own housework. I can never give Peruna too great praise. I think it is the best medicine I ever heard of."—Mrs. E. E. Thomas.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

A YOUNG MOTHER'S LETTER.

Mrs. W. McRoberts, writes to Dr. Hartman from Delano, Miss., the following:

Delano, Miss.

Doctor S. B. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio:

Dear Sir:—"I feel perfectly well of catarrh. I did as you directed me to and took Peruna and Manalin. The third of March I gave birth to a 10-pound baby girl and we are both well and happy. I am very thankful to you, and Peruna saved my life. I recommend it to everyone and can't praise it enough.

"I send you my own and my baby's picture. She is so sweet and good,—she is a Peruna baby. I have such good health now. I do all my housework and take care of my baby, and feel so good.

"There are three or four of my neighbors using Peruna now, since it did me so much good. They were just run down, and they think it is fine. It is so good to give strength."—Mrs. W. McRoberts.

Giving Them Fair Warning.

"And now that you have finished college, what are you going to do?" asked a friend of the youthful candidate.

"I shall study medicine," was the grave reply of the young man.

"But isn't that profession already overcrowded?" asked the friend.

"Possibly it is," said the knowing youth, "but I propose to study medicine just the same, and those who are already in the profession will have to take their chances."—Stray Stories.

The Passenger Department of the Chicago & North-Western Railway has issued very attractive folders covering the details of the trip to Los Angeles on account of the Presbyterian General Assembly, and to Denver and other Colorado points on account of the Christian Endeavor Convention at Denver.

Anyone interested in either of these trips will do well to write to the North-Western Line for a copy of these folders. The information they contain is of a character to be of much value to the prospective traveler.

The pitcher that goes too often to the well may be broken, but the one that never goes will never be filled.—Judge.

The Effect of Fast Time.

One result of the placing in service of the Twentieth Century Limited, the New York Central's twenty-hour train between New York and Chicago, is to bring not only Chicago but the entire West practically 200 miles nearer New York. For instance, a man can leave St. Paul or Minneapolis Monday evening and by taking the Twentieth Century Limited from Chicago be in New York Wednesday morning; thirty-six hours from home. Or, if he is in Colorado he can leave Denver Saturday night, have several hours' layover in Chicago Monday morning, and, taking the Twentieth Century Limited, be in New York at 9::30 Tuesday morning. —From the Brooklyn Standard Union.

Work alone gives value to rest.—Ram's Horn.

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A Vacuum Pressure Experiment.

Chemical science has taught us how to overcome the dreaded diseases that have swept away whole cities in the past. It has taught us the manufacture of explosives and munitions of war and has made possible the greatly improved modes of travel, and it may be truly said that to chemistry we owe the most material progress the world has made.

While this little experiment will not deal with the hidden secrets that live in the famous laboratories or treat upon the mystic powers of viscosity and relegation, it will show what power the absence of air has in attracting movable substances into the place that has been vacated by the air. Few think when they breathe the atmosphere that surrounds them that it has a pressure of fifteen pounds to the square inch or that it can attract even a piece of iron into the space which it leaves.

For an example of the strength of air take any tumbler, fill it about half full of tissue paper, set fire to the paper, turn over the glass in a basin containing water about one-half inch deep and then watch the water ascend the interior of the glass.

Didn't Know His Own Child.

At Antietam, just after the artillery had been sharply engaged, the Rockbridge (Va.) battery was standing waiting orders. General Lee rode by and stopped a moment. A dirty faced driver about seventeen said to him:

"General, are you going to put us in again?"

Think of such a question from such a source to the general of the army, especially when that general's name was Lee!

"Yes, my boy," the stately officer kindly answered, "I have to put you in again. But what is your name? Your face seems familiar somehow."

"I don't wonder you didn't know me, sir," laughed the lad, "I'm so dirty. But I'm Bob."

It was the general's youngest son, whom he had thought safe at the Virginia Military institute. "God bless you, my son; do your duty," and the general rode on.

Spoke Too Soon.

Alexandre Dumas was one day the guest of Dr. Gistal, a leading practitioner in Marseilles. After dinner, while the coffee was being handed round, the host requested the great novelist to enrich his album with one of his witty improvisations.

"Certainly," replied Dumas, with a smile, and, drawing out a pencil, he wrote under the eyes of his entertainer the following lines:

Since Dr. Gistal came to our town
To cure diseases casual and hereditary
The hospital has been pulled down—

"You flatterer!" here exclaimed the doctor, mightily pleased; but the poet went on:

And we have made a larger cemetery.

Mrs. Hamilton's Ice Cream.

Mrs. Alexander Hamilton had the first ice cream in the city of Washington. She used to tell with amusement of the delight with which President Andrew Jackson first tasted it. Guests at the next White House reception were treated to the frozen mystery, and great was the fun of the initiated when they saw the reluctance of others to taste the cold stuff. Those from the rural districts especially eyed it suspiciously, then melted each teaspoonful with the breath before swallowing it. The next time they had a chance they ate it with delight.

It Wanted His Tongue.

At an auction sale in a Scotland village the auctioneer was trying to sell a number of domestic utensils, including a porridge pot. As usual, he was making a great fuss. Finishing, his keen eye caught a well known worthy, the beadle, standing at the back of the crowd, and he shouted out:

"Maister McTavish, make me an offer for this pot. Why, it would make a splendid kirk bell."

"Ayc," replied the beadle, "if your tongue was in it."

Waited Twenty Years For a Solution.

A bit of pure and harmless mischief at recitation at Yale was the device of a member of the class of '72, who introduced at recitation a turtle covered by a newspaper paster on the shell. The tutor had too much pride to come down from his perch and solve the mystery of the newspaper movement, but twenty years after, meeting a member of the class, his first and abrupt question was, "Mr. W., what made that paper move?"

Patriotism and politics seldow work together at the poles.

At Home and Abroad.

A few days ago an elderly gentleman and his wife were walking along the street when a lady in crossing the road fell down. The old gentleman rushed to her assistance and helped her in every possible way. When he returned to his wife, she looked like a thundercloud.

"It's all right; it's all right," he whispered.

"Yes, I know it's all right!" she replied hotly. "Here's an unknown woman falls down, and you plow across the street to help her, and the other day, when I fell downstairs, you wanted to know if I was practicing for a circus."

Our Cooks.

"I believe," said the young physician, "that bad cooks supply us with half our patients."

"That's right," rejoined the old doctor, "and good cooks supply us with the other half."—Chicago News.

Dolly's Explanation.

"Mother, what are twins?" asked little Bobbie.

"I know," chimed in Dolly. "Twins is two babies just the same age; three babies is triplets, four is quadrupeds, and five is centipeds."

His Peripatetic Lunch.

Waitress (at quick lunch stand)—Do you want to eat this sandwich here or take it with you?

Gentleman—Both.—Harvard Lampoon.

Pure Selfishness.

Mae—How did Bessie raise the money to go abroad and study music?

Ethel—The neighbors took up a subscription, I believe.—Puck.

Gold nuggets from the Klondike present a structure and appearance quite different from those of any other locality.

A Sure Thing.

It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes, but that is not altogether true. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is a sure cure for all long and throat troubles. Thousands can testify to that. Mrs. C. B. VanMetre of Shepherdtown, W. Va., says "I had a severe case of Bronchitis and for a year tried everything I heard of and got no releif. One bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery then cured me absolutely." It's infallible for Croup, whooping Cough, Grip, Pneumonia and Consumption. Try it. It's guaranteed by L. Taggart Druggist. Trial bottles free. Regular sizes, 50c, $1.00.

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MERCANTILE LIST FOR 1903.

Mercantile Appraiser's Notice.

NAMES and kind of license of dealers in the County of Cameron, Pa. The appeals will be held at the County Treasurer's office in Emporium, on Friday, May 22, 1903, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 3 p. m.

EMPORIUM.

Balcom & Lloyd.....General Merchandise
Beattie, P. R.....Tobacco and Cigars
Catlin, C. G.....Grain and Flour
Cruice, John.....Tobacco and Cigars
Cummings, John.....Cigars
Costello, John.....Cigars
Donovan, D. W.....Cigars
Dolan, M. J.....Cigars
Day, J. H.....Groceries
Dodson, R. C.....Drugs
Emporium Machine Co.....Tile and Fixtures
Emporium Furniture Co.....Furniture
Edgcomb, Henry.....General Merchandise
Easterbrooks, Lizzie.....Confectionery
Emporium Milling Co.....Grain and Seed
Fetter, J. R.....Bicycle Supplies
Gross, William.....Meats
Gross, G. H. & Co.....Meats
Huntington, L. K.....General Merchandise
Harris, Jasper.....Clothing
Howard, C. B. & Co.....General Merchandise
Hockley, I. K.....Fuel and Builders Supplies
Hacket, S. S.....General Merchandise
Hogan, M. T.....Groceries
Husted, C. R.....Groceries
Hirrch, R. H.....Jewelry
Hacket, S. J.....General Merchandise
Overhiser, I. O.....Confectionery and Fruits
Judd, F. G.....Harness
Jessop, C. H.....Produce
Johnson, J. L.....Cigars
Kelley, R. D.....Cigars
Kelly, F. & G.....Millinery and Clothing
Kinsler, J. A.....Groceries
Ludlam, B. E. & E. L.....Millinery
LaBar, Geo, H.....Furniture
Lechner, Joseph.....Boots and Shoes
Lloyd, H. S.....Stationery
Lysett, T. J.....Cigars
Loyd, R. J.....Cigars
Leet, F. D. & Co.....General Merchandise
Larrabee, M. M.....Furs, Ammunition, &c
Metzger, Geo. Jr.....Jewelry
Murry, Coppersmith Co.....Hardware
McDougall, Alex.....Groceries and Meats
McDonald, A. A.....Tobacco and Cigars
McDonald, S. D.....Cigars
Manett, H. R.....Cigars
McDonald, Wm.....Cigars
Newton, Joseph.....Produce
Overhiser, Kate.....Confectionery and Fruits
Olmsted, H. C.....General Merchandise
Parsons, J. F.....General Merchandise
Rockwell, M. A.....Drugs
Raymond, H. L.....Millinery
Seger, R. & Son.....Clothing
Shives, Frank.....Groceries and Meats
Schmidt, C. G.....Confectionery and Fruits
Schlecht, John.....Groceries
Slocum, B. A.....Groceries
Seger, N.....Clothing
Shoup, Peter.....Cigars
Tulis, M. C.....General Merchandise
Trotter, Thomas.....Dry Goods
Taggart, Ler.....Drugs
Vogt, A. F.....Boots and Shoes
Winfield, Mary.....Confectionery
Zarns, H. A. & Co.....Toys, Furnishings, &c
Wolfe, J. E.....Meats

DRIFTWOOD.

Brookbank, J. O. & Co.....General Merchandise
Fox, Frank Jr.....Meats
Fox, Lyda.....Millinery
Krider & Yothers.....General Merchandise
Kreider, Hazel.....Notions
Mitchell, W. H.....Drugs
McDonald, A. M.....Cigars
McCoole, Mrs. S. D.....Millinery
McCoole, S. D.....Cigars
McVicker, Mrs. Fred.....Cigars
Nefcy, Miss M. E.....Millinery
Rothrock, J. N.....Clothing
Riley, T. J.....Cigars

LUMBER.

Cameron Store Co.....General Merchandise
Ebersole, E. M.....Groceries
Furlong, Mary A.....Cigars
Mahoney, Pet.....Cigars
McGee, Harry.....Cigars
McConnell, Warren.....Cigars
Smith, J. E.....General Merchandise

GROVE.

Barclay Bros.....General Merchandise
Baird, D. P.....Groceries
Bailey, O. L.....Cigars
CrumBros.....Meats
Fee Bros.....General Merchandise
Lightner, H. B.....General Merchandise
Shafer, Geo. P.....Cigars
Silin, Nathan.....Clothing
Smith, H. J.....Cigars

PORTAGE.

Sizer, Mrs. W. R.....General Merchandise
Evans, J. H.....Cigars

SHIPPEN.

Hughes, W. J.....Produce and Meats
Kline & Co.....General Merchandise
Lewis, F. J.....Groceries

EATING HOUSES.

Bliss, Fred.....Emporium
Lewis, Mrs. P. E.....Emporium
McClelland, John D.....Emporium

BILLIARDS AND POOL

Creaton, James.....Emporium
McDonald, A. A.....Emporium
Mitchell, W. H.....Driftwood

All persons so ascertained or assessed who shall fail to attend such appeal or to appeal from the decision of the Appraiser, to the Common Pleas within ten days thereafter will not be permittod to set up a defense to the recovery of the amount of license to which he is requested to pay when suit shall be brought that he is not a dealer in merchandise, &c.

The law further provides that it shall be the duty of the County Treasurer to sue for the recovery of all licenses duly returned to him by the Mercantile Appraiser if not paid on or before the first day of July in each and every year, within ten days after date, and said Treasurer shall not be discharged from any such license unless he brings suit to recover the same on or before that date.

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Mercantile Appraiser, 1903.

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